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College Football's 100th Anniversary



This fall marks the 100th anniversary of intercollegiate football.

Fort Hays State begins its 56th year on the grid-iron and is proud to be a part of the history and legend of this colorful American pastime.

General Information

Name of School: Fort Hays Kansas State College.

Location: Hays, Kansas (population 11,947 in 1960 census; now estimated at approximately 13,750). Located in the northwestern quarter of the state, 100 miles west of Salina and 175 miles northwest of Wichita.

Enrollment: 5,500

Nickname: Tigers

Colors: Black and Gold. General policy is to wear white uniforms at home and black on the road.

Administration:

Dr. John Gustad, President

Dr. John D. Garwood, Dean

Dr. Jimmy Rice, Graduate Dean

Walter E. Keating, Comptroller

Standlee V. Dalton, Registrar, Director of Admissions.

Memberships: Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference, National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics.

Band: Fort Hays State Band, directed by Lyle Dilley.

Pep Club: The Tiger's Roar.

Stadium: Lewis Field Stadium, built in 1936. Seating capacity 7,000. Located on Elm St. at the southwest edge of the campus. Visible from Highway 40 bypass.

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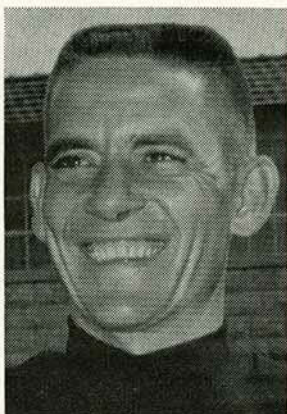
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Stromgren Takes Command of Tiger Football Fortunes



Tom Stromgren, the bantam-sized battler from College of Emporia, starts his first season as the head football coach of Fort Hays State and with it he introduces "Sic 'em" football to the Tigers. An advocate of dedicated, self-sacrificing football, Stromgren plans to renovate the offense with a basic pro-set, a new system, and a new spirit as the ingredients designed to bring the winning mold back to the Bengals.

COACH TOM STROMGREN: Appointed head football coach at Fort Hays Kansas State College in January, 1969, coming from the A. H. Robbins Company where he worked for the past two years.

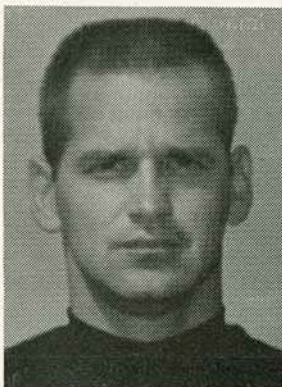
RESPONSIBILITIES: Head football coach.

COACHING EXPERIENCE: Solomon High School, head football, basketball, track coach, 1958-1962; Herington High School, head football coach, 1962-1964; Emporia High School, head football coach, 1964-1965; College of Emporia, head football coach, 1965-1967. Had 42-15-2 high school coaching record. 13-4-1 at College of Emporia, finished 8-1 in 1966. In 9 years of coaching, had only one losing season, a 3-6 mark at Emporia High School. That season at Emporia High was one of Stromgren's high points in his career as he gave Emporia a 3-6 season after being 1-52-1 for the previous 6 years of play.

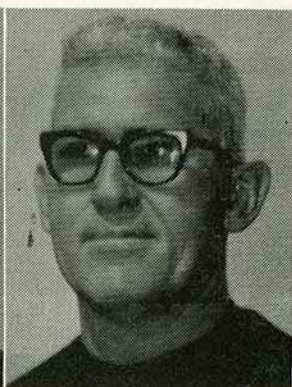
PLAYING EXPERIENCE: Attended Baker University on basketball scholarship his freshman year. Transferred to College of Emporia where he lettered as a quarterback in football and was a letterman in baseball.

PERSONAL INFORMATION: Born January 30, 1936, Michigan Valley, Kansas. Graduated from Michigan Valley High School in 1954. Attended Baker University one year, graduated from College of Emporia in 1958 with a BA in physical education and received his MA in physical education from KSTC, Emporia, in 1969. Married the former Sally Reeder of Ottawa on August 18, 1957. Sally was a former head cheerleader at Emporia State. Children, two daughters, Kelli, 8; Becky, 7. Hobbies: all sports with golf and hunting emphasized.

Assistants In Football



Jim Paramore



Ed McNeil

COACH JAMES LEWIS PARAMORE: Joined the Fort Hays State staff in August, 1969, coming from Dodge City Junior College where he was head football coach.

COACHING EXPERIENCE: Linn High School (13-4-1) 1962-1963; Herington High School (25-1-1) 1964-1966; Dodge City Junior College (4-13-1) 1966-1968.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: Seaman High School, Topeka, Kansas. In his junior and senior years, he gained 2,492 yards from his tailback slot. In 1956, he rushed for 1,252 yards, second in Topeka prep history. At Baker University he was a four-year letterman. Twice named All-KCAC first team, twice named All-KCAC second team, and was named second team Methodist College All-American.

PERSONAL INFORMATION: Born March 17, 1939 in Topeka, Kansas. Graduated from Seaman High School, Topeka, in 1956. Graduated from Baker University in 1961 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in education. Received Master of Science degree from KSTC, Emporia, in 1963. Married Lani Frey of Topeka, Kansas, August 14, 1960. Children, Marc 7; Mike, 5. Hobbies are basketball, officiating and enjoying all sports.

COACH EDGAR F. McNEIL: Joined the Fort Hays State staff in September, 1957, coming from the University of North Dakota where he was an assistant coach.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Assistant coach in charge of the line and chief scout.

COACHING EXPERIENCE: College of Emporia, Assistant football coach, 1950-1955; University of North Dakota, assistant football, 1955-1957; Fort Hays State, 1957 to the present.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: Atchison County Community High School, football and track letterman, graduated 1940. Kansas State University, 1940-1941. Service from 1941-1946. Returned to Kansas State and played from 1946 to 1950, Honorable Mention All-American tackle. Letterman four years, wrestled one year.

PERSONAL INFORMATION: Born June 14, 1922, Horton, Kansas. Graduated from Atchison County Community High School, Effingham, Kansas, 1940. Graduated from Kansas State University in 1949 with a bachelor of science in physical education. Masters degree in physical education, Kansas State, 1950; Ed.s, 1967, Fort Hays State. Married Mary Briles of Yates Center, Kansas, August 14, 1948. Children, Marcia, 17; Glen, 15. Hobbies—Hunting, fishing, bridge, all sports.



Terry Claycamp



Ralph Johnson

COACH TERRY CLAYCAMP: Joined the Fort Hays State staff in the spring of 1967, graduated from Fort Hays State.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Assistant coach in charge of defensive linebackers.

COACHING EXPERIENCE: Fort Hays State, assistant coach one year, 1967-1968 under Coach Wayne McConnell, in his second year.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: WaKeeney High School, lettered all sports three years, football, basketball, track, graduated 1964. Fort Hays State, four-year letterman in football, All-CIC Linebacker 1968, graduated 1968.

PERSONAL INFORMATION: Born March 24, 1946, Hays, Kansas. Graduated WaKeeney High School in 1964. Graduated Fort Hays State 1968 with a BS in physical education. Currently working on masters degree. Married Linda Horchem of Ransom, Kansas, June 11, 1967. Children, none. Hobbies: hunting, dog training, rodeo.

TRAINER RALPH JOHNSON: Joined the Fort Hays State staff as athletic trainer in 1967, coming from Colorado State College at Greeley.

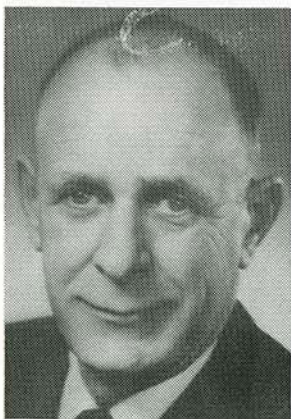
RESPONSIBILITIES: Oversees the training program for all nine Fort Hays State intercollegiate sports, health educator on the physical education staff.

PAST EXPERIENCE: Student trainer at Colorado State College for five years. In 1962, head trainer for the USSAF basketball team. Was in the military from 1960 to 1963.

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: Football, basketball, baseball letterman (three years) at Hugo High School, Hugo, Colorado.

PERSONAL INFORMATION: Born April 12, 1940, Longmont, Colorado. Graduated from Hugo High School in 1958. Graduated from Colorado State College in 1966 with a BA, received his MA from Colorado State College in physical education in 1967. Married the former Alona Dutro. Children, Roger, 7; Lance, 3; Rhoda, 4 months. Hobbies — golf, all sports.

Athletic Director Cade Suran



Best known in Kansas coaching circles as the veteran Fort Hays State basketball coach who guided cinderella teams to the national tournament three times, Cade Suran is proving just as adept at his fifth year job as the athletic director of the college. A warm and personable AD, Suran has been

a dynamic figure on the NAIA college scene and was just recently named to the NAIA committee on Domestic and International Development.

He spent 19 years directing the cage fortunes of the Tigers and emerged with 264 victories and only 151 losses for a winning percentage of 63.6.

Cade is the interested, aggressive athletic director and was primarily responsible for re-instituting baseball in the athletic program in 1966. He also promoted the sales of season reserved seats in football and spent many diligent hours working toward the realization of a new field house at FHS. The Tigers should be proud owners of the new structure in 1970-71.

Before coming to FHS in 1946, Suran coached high school basketball at Harlan, Downs and Wellington. His highly successful cage squad in 1946 at Wellington was chiefly responsible for his coming to FHS.

Cade's Tiger teams won CIC championships in 1950, 1959, 1962 and 1963 and wrapped up the NAIA District 10 (all-Kansas) titles in 1959, 1962 and 1963. They competed in the 32-team NAIA Tournament of Champions those same three years, earning fourth-place honors in 1959 and 1963.

Personal information: Born—Saline County, Kansas, Dec. 17, 1911. High School—Kipp, Kansas. College—BA, biological science, physical education, commerce, Kansas Wesleyan, 1934; M.S. education, physical education, Fort Hays Kansas State, 1950; also Emporia State, Colorado State College. Wife's name—Irene. Children—Sue (Mrs. Robert Peterson); Kay (Mrs. Larry Weigel). Hobbies—Square dance calling, fishing, hunting, golf, bridge.

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Russell Bogue



Conrad Downing

Division Chm. Russell Bogue

Dr. Russell Bogue is serving Fort Hays State College as the Chairman of the Division of Health, Physical Education and Recreation for the second year. He succeeded Dr. James Belisle who resigned the post after six years to take a new position at Indiana University.

Bogue joined the FHS faculty in 1967 as an assistant professor of physical education. He is a graduate of Kearney (Neb.) State College with a master's degree from the University of Nebraska and a doctor of education physical education degree from the University of Wyoming.

Personal information: Born — Blue Hill, Nebraska, July 17, 1925. High School— Shelton, Nebraska. College—B. A., physical education and social studies. Kearney (Neb.) State, 1949; M.A., education, University of Nebraska, 1955; Ed.D., University of Wyoming, 1964. Wife's name—Nancy. Children—Russell, 10; Randell, 8; Robert, 4. Hobbies—Horses, hunting, all sports.

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SID Conrad Downing

Conrad M. Downing joins the Fort Hays State staff as the new sports information director, replacing Bob Lowen who will become the director of the college news service. Downing will also advise the Leader, student newspaper.

Downing, a life-long resident of Kansas, taught journalism at Lawrence High School before coming to Fort Hays State College.

Personal Information: Born—Parsons, Kansas, October 24, 1935. High School—Parsons, Kansas. College—Parsons Junior College (2 years); B.S. journalism, English, speech, Kansas State College, Pittsburg, 1957; M.S., journalism, University of Kansas, 1966. Wife's name—Sharon. Children—Nancy Lynn, 3; Scott Gregory, 1. Hobbies—tennis, bridge, writing, sports in general.

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Athletic Department Staff

Athletic Committee: Wilmont Toalson, assoc. professor of mathematics, chairman; Dennis McKee, assoc. prof. of industrial arts; Walter Keating, comptroller; Dr. John Gustad, president; Dr. Ralph Coder, prof. of English; Cade Suran, athletic director, R. U. Brooks, assoc. prof. of industrial arts; David Reigel, assoc. prof. of agriculture; Gerald Tomanek, prof. of biological science.

Faculty Representative: Wilmont Toalson, assoc. prof. of mathematics.

RMAC Commissioner: H. B. Kniseley, 1423 South Garfield, Denver, Colorado 20210.

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Coach Ed McNeil
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Jesse Kennis, Jim Paramore
Basketball Coach Chuck Brehm
Track and Cross Country
Coach Alex Francis
Wrestling Coach Dave Winter
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Requests for general information about the college and its program except athletics should be addressed to Mr. Hartley.

Memorial Union food service facilities are available for all visiting teams. Contact R. Lynn Rogers, Memorial Union, for additional information.

Tiger Outlook In 1969

The year 1969 will be one Fort Hays State football fans will call the "sic 'em" season after new coach Tom Stromgren's policy to take the game to the opponents. A new system, a new coach and a new spirit are the ingredients Stromgren hopes to mold into his 1969 Tigers with 14 lettermen back to bolster the chances.

On paper, the Fort Hays State Tigers look better than a season ago unless injuries again thin the squad as was the case last year. Four-time All-CIC fullback Rich Dreiling won't be back and neither will another All-CIC choice, linebacker Paul Simmons. Both constitute a major loss but with the return of two second-team All-CIC performers in end Dennis Spratt and back Jack Georgeson, the Bengals have a stellar backbone to build around.

Lettermen returning are QB John Covington, Safety Jack Georgeson, SB Ken Caywood, DHB Carl Helm, LB Lloyd Logsdon, DHB Steve Seirer, LB Mike Butler, C Craig Gwinner, DHB Lynn Lashbrook, T Jim Powell, E Dennis Spratt, T Frank Tappan, T Ron Walker, LB Tim Dierberger, DHB Steve Billinger and two provisional lettermen, HB Erick Erickson and DT Richard Wise.

One area where coach Stromgren thinks the Tigers will benefit a great deal is in the number of quality transfers he has acquired for the coming year. In the spring game, five transfers started on the offense headed by two-year all-conference running back Tommy Evans from Highland Junior College. A bevy of guards, Bruce Demaree, Washburn U., Jim Murray, Highland Juco and Bruce Armstrong, Friends U., will be in the thick of the battle for a starting position while transfer Charlie Beckman worked out of the tight end slot last spring. Scotty Turner, an end from Highland Junior College, and LB Joe Kulbiski, Dodge City Juco, look to be two more welcome additions to the Bengals.

Other college transfers that should lend quality depth to the Tigers this year are T Ken Blair, Ft. Scott Juco; FB Jimmy Ryser, Highland Juco; DE Jack Vetter, Butler County Juco; E Joe Gresnick, St. Louis Juco; DHB John Ireland, Butler County Juco; DHB Ted Juneau, Dodge City Juco; DT Bob Levitt, Highland Juco; SE Lionel Jenkins, Dodge City Juco; and Vietnam veteran Larry Zierlein, a tough defensive end.

The Outlook by Positions

HOW IT BOILS DOWN

OFFENSE—

The offense looks good with the exception of a replacement for Rich Dreiling at this early stage of the season. The quarterback situation is solid with starter John Covington returning and slotback Ken Caywood around to catch a few of his tosses. The running back situation is in the hands of newcomers and transfers and only time will tell about the fullback slot. The line is solid and the ends are tough.

DEFENSE—

A complete defensive unit returns in the secondary with experience but depth will prove a concern as the season's first practice sessions will have to provide strength in that area. Linebackers look to be a major asset. Could be one of the best defenses in the RMAC.

PROSPECTS—

Newcomers make the picture look brighter as the list of freshmen and transfers is impressive. Fullback prospect Stan Johnston of Lincoln, Nebraska is one of the top youngsters as he led Lincoln to one of the best records in the school's history.

DT Austin Battaglia of Chicago; TE end Steve Wilson of Wichita North; DE Dan Perkins of Ottawa; T Bob O'Brien of Northbrook, Illinois; G Ed Hildebrand of Wichita; LB Frank Healy of Chicago; T Harold Green of Colby; DT Stan Durler of Great Bend; G Phil Stramel of Colorado; and LB John Vonfeldt of Victoria are some of the recruits that are being counted on to make 1969 a winning season.

A Veteran Retires—1968



A 25-year coaching career came to an end in November when Wayne J. McConnell stepped down from the head football job at Fort Hays State College. McConnell, a 13-year Fort Hays State College head coaching veteran, compiled a composite 88-74-5 record in the collegiate ranks. At FHS his 13 teams stand 49-62-4.

The 56-year-old McConnell formerly coached at College of Emporia and four Kansas High Schools before coming to FHS in 1956. He will remain on the faculty as an associate professor of health, physical education and recreation.

In relinquishing his duties McConnell said, "I feel the time has come to turn the job over to a younger coach. I am taking this step of retiring from the football coaching job at this time so the new coach will be able to have spring football, get acquainted with those players on campus and recruit new players.

McConnell's best mark at Fort Hays State came in 1966 when the Tigers posted a 7-2 mark and shared the Central Intercollegiate Conference football crown. His 1965 and 1962 squads were also two of his best as they went 6-2-1 and 6-3 respectively.

A 1934 graduate of Washburn University, McConnell came to Fort Hays State from College of Emporia where he guided six teams to a 39-12-1 mark, including four undefeated squads. He was named "Little All-American Coach of the Year" by the Rockne Foundation in 1953. McConnell received his master's degree from Emporia State College in 1954.

A veteran of the U.S. Army, McConnell taught and coached at Effingham, Downs, Gaylord, and Manhattan High Schools before moving to College of Emporia. He is originator of the annual Fort Hays State College Football Coaches Clinic which is held each summer and usually attracts about 200 participants.

Meet the 1969 Varsity



Armstrong

Battaglia

Bicknell

Bruce Armstrong, OG, 5-11, 213, 20, Jr.—

A transfer from Friends University - Attended Campus High, Wichita - All-Ark Valley first team at fullback - Three letters football and track, one letter in wrestling - All-around athlete - Tough hitter with good speed - A top candidate for starting strongside guard - Born Aug. 14, 1949 - Physical Education Major.

Austin Battaglia, LB, 5-11, 193, 19, So.—

Tough, hard-nosed football player - Lots of potential - All-Chicago Catholic League, All-Star team from Loyola High School - Two letters in prep football, three in wrestling, 180-pound city wrestling champion - Played before 79,000 people at Soldiers Field and helped his team to the city championship - Good prospect - Born April 30, 1950 - Business Major.

Jim Bicknell, C, 6-0, 240, 18, Fr.—

Coaches like this youngster's attitude and ability - Four letters at Marysville, three in golf and wrestling - Versatile athlete - All-State, All-Area and All-Conference as a prep standout - An outstanding youngster, was voted outstanding senior - Battled for a chance at center slot in pre-season drills - Rugged, agile for size - Born October 11, 1951 - Pre-Law Major.

Clark Bouton, QB, 6-0, 186, 18, Fr.—

Only quarterback recruited - Expected to develop as freshman caller on Junior Varsity - Good size and attitude and has a strong arm - Looked better toward end of pre-season drills - Two-year prep football letterman, one in basketball and one in baseball - Threw two touchdown passes any 12, 1951 - Psychology Major.

Meet the 1969 Varsity



Bowen



Butler



Caywood

Stan Bowen, FB, 5-7, 181, 19, So.—

Another transfer, Dodge City Junior College - Battled Merriwether for vacated fullback spot in what coaches termed a delight to see - Rugged competitor with a deceptive size - Good speed and an excellent attitude - Lettered in football four years, basketball two, track three and base-thrill while winning" - Born April 12, 1950 - Nuclear Pharmacy Major.

Mike Butler, LLB, 5-9, 191, 19, So.—

A stinger who plays a tough defense - Moved from nose guard to linebacker in the spring game and did well - Tough, hits high and is considered one of the ruggedest players on the team - Triple grid letterman and monogramed twice in wrestling in high school - All-State and All-District in football - First in district wrestling and regional tournaments, fourth in state - One of Paramore's "Little People" who do the job - Born June 25, 1950 - Physical Education Major.

Kenny Caywood, SB, 5-10, 185, 22, Sr.—

All-CIC end in 1967, second team - Excellent receiver with good hands, runs patterns well and tough as a wide receiver - Quarterback familiar with moves which makes him a solid bet in the clutch - Three-year letterman - Picked up 10 letters in three sports at St. Francis where he was All-State, Conference and Area - Coachable and likeable athlete who has a lot of talent and is "Mr. Desire" on the Tiger team - Born September 21, 1947. H.P.E.R. Major.

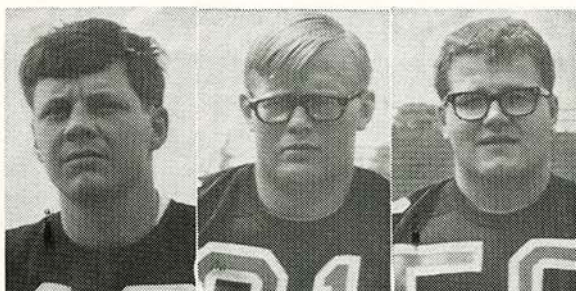
Year	Att.	Gain	Lost	Net	TDs	Ret.	Yds.	TDs
1966	89	305	-11	294	1	12	160	0
1967	—	—	—	—	—	20	221	0
1968	8	30	-1	29	0	6	68	0
	97	335	-12	323	1	38	449	0

PASS RECEIVING

	PC	Yds.	TDs	Points
1966	11	132	2	12
1967	10	150	1	6
1968	9	156	1	6
	30	438	4	24

TIGERS

Meet the 1969 Varsity



Covington

Demaree

Elder

John Covington, QB, 6-1, 195, 24, Sr.

Played at the University of Tennessee two years - Has a strong arm that can fire bullets at almost any range - Fine punter - This looks to be Covington's swan song with a good year, recovered from knee injury and sore arm in spring - Has a good head on his shoulders and can read defenses well - Great attitude, top candidate for college All-American if he succeeds in building strong confidence to win - Led CIC in punting in 1968 on 29 for 1024 and a 35.3 average - Had 38 for 1311 in 1967 for a 34.5 mark - Born February 13, 1945 - Physical Education Major.

Year	Att.	C	PI	TD	Yd.	Pct.	TC	G	L	Net
1967	17	7	2	0	90	.411	9	32	-31	1
1968	61	21	2	4	345	.344	18	33	-74	-41
	78	28	4	4	435	.358	27	65	-105	-42

Bruce Demaree, G, 5-11, 213, 20, Jr.—

Battled Armstrong for Strongside guard slot - A good competitor who worked as top guard in the spring drills - Football, track and wrestling letterman in high school - Transfer from Washburn University - Hits extremely hard and was considered for the fullback slot - Works the hardest of any man on squad - Is an intricate piece of the Tiger machinery this fall - Will see plenty of action - Born April 19, 1949 - History Major.

Grady Elder, C, 5-10, 216, 20, Jr.—

Did so well in spring game that former starter Craig Gwinner was moved to defensive end - First year out for football at Fort Hays - Three letters in football and wrestling at Salina High School - Fine wrestler for Tigers in heavyweight division - Grady has the attitude, size and speed to be one of the finest at the pivot - Could make the season better as he develops rapidly - Being counted on to give protection for Covington - Born January 23, 1949 - Speech Major.

Meet the 1969 Varsity



Evans

Georgeson

Gwinner

Tommy Evans, HB, 5-8, 180, 22, Jr.—

Mr. Piston-powered legs himself - A good man to have in your backfield even though his size is 5-8 - Misleading size, has a giant's heart and will be one of the Tiger's Claws in 1969 - Transfer from Highland Junior College - All-conference in high school and lettered four in football and track - All-conference at Highland - Has running back job sewed up and should pace club in rushing along with newcomers at fullback - "Mini-Brute" may lead Bengals to RMAC one or two - Born October 7, 1947 - Physical Education Major.

Jack Georgeson, DHB, 6-2, 178, 21, Sr.

Rookie of the Year in 1968 as the lean defender decided to try football - Earned first letter - Made 20 tackles and 13 assists for a total of 33 stops with three pass interceptions while playing only part of two positions - Had to take over for injured Covington at quarterback - All-Conference, All-State in football - lettered in football, track, basketball, baseball in high school - Punter with 20 for 588 yards, 29.9 average - Returned kick-offs-punts 7 for 93 yards - Led the team in interceptions, 3 - Top hand in secondary and will be a major factor in the success of the Tigers - Born February 1, 1948 - Major undecided.

Year	TC	Yds.	L	Net	PA	PC	PI	Yd.	TD	Pct.
1968	27	118	-31	87	50	12	5	201	2	.240

Craig Gwinner, DE, 6-0, 204, 21, Sr.—

Started at center last season and lettered - Missed spring practice and lost his position to Grady Elder - Shifted to defense easily and is fighting for a spot - Will be an asset in stretch drive - Can do the club some good - Three sport monogram winner - Good team man - Born April 6, 1948 - Physical Education Major.

Meet the 1969 Varsity



Hahn

Healy

Jenkins

Rick Hahn, SB, 6-0, 164, 18, Fr.—

Good prospect who worked hard with the Dodge City Red Demons and went undefeated in WSKL in -969 - Lost one game to Wichita North, 12-8 - Dodge was rated first in state for six weeks - Letterman three sports - All-WCKL - Will definitely help the team in the secondary - Inexperience at college level may bother but talent is there - Born August 7, 1951 - Pre-Dentistry Major.

Frank Healy, T-NG, 5-11, 195, 19, Fr.—

All-Area in Chicago - Four letters in football - Tough competitor with bright future with the Tigers - Quick hitter, aggressive and strong - A "blue-chip" prospect - Born July 2, 1950 - Major undecided.

Carl Helm, S, 5-9, 160, 21, Sr.—

Transfer from Hutch Juco, two letters - Quick and can keep with receivers on deep patterns - Listed as starter - Top athlete at Great Bend High - A Tiger letterman last season - Born March 13, 1948 - Industrial Arts Major.

Lionell Jenkins, SE, 6-1, 180, 19, So.—

A flyer from Dodge City Juco - Played under Coach Jim Paramore and was considered a top candidate - Speedy with good moves downfield - From Port Arthur, Texas - Good hands - Born August 10, 1950 - Physical Education Major.

Ted Juneau, HB, 6-1, 190, 20, Jr.

All-State, All-League with four letters in football, basketball and track in high school at Herington - Transferred from Wichita State, Dodge City Juco - Lettered both years in football - Could help this year - Born December 12, 1949 - Education Major.

Jim Keating, HB-QB, 5-10, 170, 21, Fr.—

Potential is there as the Chicago native is tough and speedy - Army veteran - Most valuable player in football and baseball as a prep - Earned three high school football letters - Should be a future comer for Fort Hays - Born April 9, 1948 - Major undecided.

Meet the 1969 Varsity



Lashbrook

Logsdon

Merriwether

Bob Levitt, T, 6-3, 226, 21, Jr.—

Solid performer Highland Junior College - Two football, one track letter at the Juco - All-State as a prep player in Illinois - Participated in all sports, lettering in football four times - Ran first strong defensive tackle in opening drills - Tough, hard charger - Born October 8, 1948 - P.E. or History Major.

Lynn Lashbrook, LB, 5-9, 157, 21, Sr.—

Three-year Tiger letterman - Attended Wyandotte High and lettered in football and twice in baseball - Starter at Monster when drills opened Aggressive with deceptive size - Tough hitter - Made 16 tackles, 18 assists in 1968 - One of the best defenders in the secondary - Born October 11, 1948 - Physical Education Major.

Lloyd Logsdon, LB, 5-8, 186, 21, Sr.

Coach Jim Paramore's "Mini-People" exemplified by Logsdon - Tough, wiry backer who'll go out and hit you - All-State prep in Nebraska - transferred from McCook Junior College - Counted on in veteran secondary - Born February 10, 1948 - Business Administration Major.

Morse Merriwether, FB, 6-0, 190, 21, Jr.—

Mercury Morse with good speed - Stepped into first unit fullback and battled hard for slot - Great competitor with talent - Transfer from Dodge City Juco - Four-year letterman in prep football - Being counted on for yardage - Married - Born August 18, 1948 - Physical Education Major.

Jim Murray, G, 5-9, 230, 21, So.—

Another Highland Junior College transfer - All-Conference Juco, most valuable player on offense - Starter with aggressive tendencies - Quick off the line, good power - Staff feels he'll help team effort - Born March 28, 1948 - Physical Education Major.

Meet the 1969 Varsity



O'Brien

Powell

Spratt

Bob O'Brien, T, 5-9, 245, 19, So.—

The "Golden Buddha" of the squad with great potential - Transfer from Dupage Juco, lettered two years - Scrappy, vicious hitter with plenty of muscle - Good movement for big fellow - Born August 11, 1950 - Business Major.

Dan Perkins, DE, 6-1, 195, 18, Fr.—

Blue chip recruit from Ottawa High School - Fast, intelligent defensive end with ability to run with receivers - Should break into defensive starting line in his first year - All-EKL - Born February 8, 1951 - Journalism Major.

Jim Powell, T, 6-3, 245, 22, Sr.—

Three-year letterman from Mankato, Powell is described by his coach as of the All-American cut - Best bet for AA and conference honors - Rugged tackle who blocks well and can dish out punishment - Great team leader who helps inspire offense - Counted on as a "Key" to the season - Married - Born February 12, 1947 - Business Major.

Dennis Spratt, SE, 6-3, 192, 21, Sr.—

Led Tigers in pass receiving last two seasons (1967, 19-315 yards, 4 TDs) (1968, 25-396 yards, 5 TDs) for a total of 44 receptions for 711 yards and 9 touchdowns - Needs 23 receptions to set a new pass catching record career - Four aerial TDs will earn him a 'Scoring Passes Received' mark - Fine attitude, good worker with glue-fingered catches his specialty - A key in 1969 - Born August 8, 1948 - Physical Education Major.

Phil Stramel, G, 6-1, 192, 18, Fr.—

High on the depth chart at linebacker, Phil could help the club a great deal this season - A definite future great at Fort Hays - Hustler with good speed - Born December 30, 1951 - Math Major. Father Gene Stramel was a former football player in 1941, 42, 43 as well as in basketball, he graduated in 1948.

Meet the 1969 Varsity



Tappan

Turner

Zierlein

Scotty Turner, TE, 6-3, 210, 22, So.—

Probably Stromgren's best recruit in transfer Turner from Midwestern and Highland Junior College - A great prep athlete in Illinois as he monogrammed in football (4), track (3), baseball (1) and crew (1) - Another Key in the offense - Knee injury healed - Good blocker - Born December 12, 1947 - Physical Education Major.

Frank Tappan, T, 245, 21, Sr.—

Big, strong and a potential monster at defensive tackle - Three letters at Fort Hays - Frank had 66 tackles (42 tackles, 24 assists) in 1966 and followed that with 51 (28 solo) in 1967. Last season he picked up the most ever with 49 solos and 17 assists - Expectation runs high if Frank decides to play - Born April 22, 1948 - Physical Education Major.

Steve Seirer, DHB, 5-10, 157, 22, Sr.—

Lettered two years, swift defender at halfback - Veteran who led team in pass interceptions with 3 - Made 26 tackles and 21 assists - Fighting for a spot in the secondary - Born November 10, 1947 - Physical Education Major.

Ed Young, DNG, 5-8, 185, 20, So.—

The Beaumont, Texas battler sewed up a position early but still had to battle several bids - Neck-snapping charge with aggressive attack on offense - Great potential now and for future Tiger seasons - Transfer from Dodge City Juco - Likes to paint, canvas and other players - Outstanding college athlete award at Juco - A good one - Born July 22, 1949, History Major.

Larry Zierlein, DE, 6-2, 217, 24, Sr.—

United States Marine Corp veteran, Larry is a popper who stings the opposition - Pratt Juco and Emporia State were home before Fort Hays - Should be an excellent defensive player - Can take a blow and deal out havoc - Married - Born July 12, 1945 - Geology Major.

1969 Tiger Schedule

Sept. 13, Northwestern Oklahoma State at Alva, 8:00 p.m.

Newby Field (2,500). FHS leads series 5-1-0. Fort Hays won in 1968, 33-21, at Hays.

Sept. 20, Kearney (Neb.) State at Hays, 7:30 p.m.

Lewis Field Stadium (7,000). FHS leads series 12-9-0. Kearney won in 1968, 29-10.

Sept. 27, *Colorado State College at Greeley, 7:30 p.m.

Jackson Field (4,000), Centennial Celebration. CSC leads series 4-1-1. CSC won 14-7 in 1968.

Oct. 4, Northwest Missouri State at Maryville, 7:30 p.m.

Rickenbrode Stadium (6,000). FHS leads series 10-5-0. FHS won in 1968, 14-3.

Oct. 11, *Washburn University at Topeka, 7:30 p.m.

Moore Bowl (8,000). Washburn leads series 21-10-3. W.U. won 9-6 in 1968.

Oct. 18, *Emporia State at Hays, 2:00 p.m., Homecoming

Lewis Field Stadium (7,000). E-State leads series 25-15-2. Emporia won 41-21 in 1968. Oldest active series.

Oct. 25, *Southern Colorado State at Hays, 7:30 p.m., Parent's Day

Lewis Field Stadium (7,000). FHS and Southern Colorado tied in series 3-3-0. So. Colorado won in 1968, 20-14.

Nov. 1, *Pittsburg State at Pittsburg, 2:00 p.m.

Brandenburg Field (6,500). Pittsburg leads series 24-11-6. Pittsburg won in 1968, 19-13.

Nov. 8, *University of Nebraska at Omaha, at Hays, 2:00 p.m. Guest and Scout Day

Lewis Field Stadium (7,000). OU leads series 8-3-1. Omaha won in 1968, 32-14.

***Conference Games.**

1968 Tiger Results

Score	Opponents	Place	Att.
FHS 33-21	NW Oklahoma	Hays;	6,500
FHS 10-29	Kearney State	Kearney;	6,050
FHS 7-14	Colorado State Col.	Hays;	7,000
FHS 14-3	Northwest Missouri	Hays;	4,000
FHS 6-9	Washburn U.	Hays;	10,000
FHS 21-41	Emporia State	Emporia;	7,000
FHS 14-20	Southern Colo.	Pueblo;	500
FHS 13-19	Pittsburg State	Hays;	1,000
FHS 14-32	Omaha University	Omaha;	1,000

Record: 2-7-0

1968 CIC Finish

(Final Year)

Team	W	L	T	Pts.	Opp.
1. Omaha	4	0	0	173	169
2. Emporia State	2	1	1	307	212
3. Pittsburg	2	1	1	140	148
4. Washburn U.	1	3	0	80	240
5 Fort Hays	0	4	0	132	188

Points are figured on a full season basis. Against non-league foes, CIC members were 8-17-1.

Junior Varsity Football

Terry Claycamp will handle the freshman-dominated junior varsity squad for 1969 and will structure his offense around freshmen and inexperienced players. Finishing 1-2 last year, the Jayvee schedule will again include Emporia and Kearney State.

In the opening game of the season against Kearney State, Hays used a punt return and a pass interception for a 14-13 win at Lewis Field. Steve Billinger quarterbacked the team and also set up the winning touchdown on an interception and then took it over on a keeper.

Against Emporia State's junior varsity, the Bengals took a 40-0 drubbing in a strong passing game. The final game of the season was a reversal of a previous win as Kearney State hosted the Tigers in a 42-0 tilt.

Fort Hays State's Jayvee record over the past nine seasons is 11-9. Terry Claycamp coached the team last year and returns for his second stint.

1968 Jayvee Scoreboard

Score	Opponent	Place
FHS 14-13	Kearney State	at Hays
FHS 0-40	Emporia State	at Emporia
FHS 0-42	Kearney State	at Kearney
TIGERS		

1968 All-CIC Tigers

First team: Offense, Rich Dreiling, FB. Def. Paul Simmons, LB.

Second team: Offense, Dennis Spratt, E; Tom Foran, G.

Defense: Jon Mastin, E; Tom Foran, G; Jack Georgeson, DB.

1968 All-CIC Teams

FIRST OFFENSIVE TEAM

E	Bruce Cerone, Emporia State	Jr.
E	*Tom McKernan, Omaha University	Jr.
C	Bob Numrich, Pittsburg State	Jr.
L	*Dan Klepper, Omaha University	Sr.
L	Mike Potchad, Pittsburg State	So.
L	Jerry Bortka, Emporia State	Sr.
L	Gary Massey, Pittsburg State	Sr.
B	Bob Leahy, Emporia State	Jr.
B	*Charles Divitto, Emporia State	So.
B	*Rich Dreiling, Fort Hays State	Sr.
B	Bob Howard, Pittsburg State	Jr.

FIRST DEFENSIVE TEAM

E	*Stanley Belitz, Omaha University	Sr.
E	Jim Brennan, Pittsburg State	So.
L	Melvin Washington, Omaha	So.
L	Charles Broyles, Pittsburg State	Sr.
L	Rich Lugar, Omaha U.	So.
L	Don Prince, Washburn U.	Jr.
LB	*Bernie Kanger, Omaha U.	Sr.
LB	Fred McClain, Emporia State	Jr.
LB	Paul Simmons, Fort Hays State	Sr.
B	Reggie Carr, Washburn U.	Jr.
B	Phil Wise, Omaha U.	So.

SECOND OFFENSIVE TEAM

Ends — **Dennis Spratt, Fort Hays;** Irvin McCoy, Washburn U.
Center — P. A. Thornton, Emporia State.
Linemen — Ken Harris, Washburn; Rich Schuckman, Omaha U.;
Tom Foran, Fort Hays; Jerry Sawyer, Washburn U.
Backs — Ron Sayers, Omaha; Pat Smagacz, Omaha; Rocco Gonnella, Omaha; Ted Woods, Emporia.

SECOND DEFENSIVE TEAM

Ends — **Jon Mastin, Fort Hays;** Ed Hopkins, Emporia.
Linemen — Ron Demesko, Emporia; **Tom Foran, Fort Hays;**
Greg Wells, Pittsburg; **Nyle Salmans, Emporia; **John Brennan, Omaha.
Linebackers — Wilbur Coffee, Emporia; Fred Linebarger, Pittsburg; Bob Homer, Pittsburg.
Backs — Gary Paporello, Omaha; **Jack Georgeson, Fort Hays.**
*Members of the 1967 All-CIC First Teams.
**Tied for fourth position lineman.

1968 CIC Team Statistics

RUSHING OFFENSE	G	Carries	Yards	Avg.
Pittsburg	10	582	2077	207.7
Fort Hays	9	437	1571	174.6
Emporia	9	301	1362	151.3
Omaha	9	374	1191	132.3
Washburn	9	427	1186	131.8

RUSHING DEFENSE	G	Carries	Yards	Avg.
Pittsburg	10	350	969	96.9
Omaha	9	432	1300	144.4
Emporia	9	410	1472	163.5
Fort Hays	9	449	1716	190.7
Washburn	9	457	2069	229.9

PASSING OFFENSE	G	Att.	Comp.	TDs	Yards	Avg.
Emporia	10	229	156	26	1999	222.1
Omaha	9	264	112	11	1465	162.7
Washburn	9	202	85	5	956	106.2
Fort Hays	9	135	40	7	633	70.4
Pittsburg	10	135	59	2	614	61.4

PASSING DEFENSE	G	Att.	Comp.	TDs	Yards	Avg.
Pittsburg	10	184	76	6	974	97.4
Fort Hays	9	159	70	9	997	110.7
Omaha	9	193	62	8	1004	111.5
Washburn	9	149	76	11	1038	115.4
Emporia	9	157	93	13	1164	129.3

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Yards	Avg.
Emporia	9	530	1362	1999	3361	373.4
Omaha	9	638	1191	1465	2656	295.1
Pittsburg	10	717	2077	614	2691	269.1
Fort Hays	9	572	1571	633	2204	244.7
Washburn	9	629	1186	956	2142	238.0

TOTAL DEFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Yards	Avg.
Pittsburg	10	534	969	974	1943	194.3
Omaha	9	625	1300	1004	2394	256.0
Emporia	9	567	1472	1164	2636	292.8
Fort Hays	9	608	1716	997	2713	301.4
Washburn	9	606	2069	1038	3107	345.2

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1968 CIC Individual Statistics

TOTAL

OFFENSE

	Plays	Rush	Pass	Yards	Avg.
B. Leahy, ES	229	-50	1698	1648	183.1
R. Gonnella, OU	292	35	1302	1337	148.5
D. Ferrell, WU	247	116	793	909	101.0
B. Howard, PS	227	880	0	880	88.0
R. Dreiling, FHS	191	777	0	777	86.3

RUSHING

	G	Rushes	Yards	Avg.
B. Howard, PS	10	227	880	88.0
R. Dreiling, FHS	9	191	777	86.3
C. Divitto, ES	9	119	738	82.0
R. Sayers, OU	9	171	691	76.6
T. Woods, ES	9	117	509	56.5

PASSING

	Att.	Comp	Had Int.	Yards	TDs
B. Leahy, ES	205	117	9	1698	15
R. Gonnella, OU	234	99	17	1302	10
D. Ferrell, WU	169	76	11	793	3
R. Ivy, PS	116	52	4	535	1
J. Covington, FHS	61	21	2	345	4

SCORING

	G	TD	EP	FG	Total Pts.
B. Cerone, ES	9	16	0	0	96
C. Divitto, ES	9	11	0	0	66
B. Howard, PS	10	9	0	0	54
R. Sayers, OU	9	8	0	0	48
R. Dreiling, FHS	9	6	0	0	36
T. Woods, ES	9	6	0	0	36

PASS RECEIVING

	G	Catches	Yards	Avg.
B. Cerone, ES	9	91	1479	16.2
T. McKernan, OU	9	37	611	16.5
S. Standifer, OU	9	29	455	15.6
D. Spratt, FHS	9	25	396	15.8
I. McCoy, WU	9	35	305	8.7

PUNTING

	G	Punts	Yards	Avg.
J. Covington, FHS	9	29	1024	35.3
D. Bennett, WU	9	45	1521	33.8
R. Welch, PS	10	46	1443	31.4
J. Georgeson, FHS	9	20	588	29.9
R. Shaw, OU	9	55	1589	2.88

1968 Team Statistics

RUSHING OFFENSE	FHS	OPP
Rushing plays	437	449
Yds. gained	1787	1942
Yds. lost	216	226
Net gain rushing	1571	1716
Av. gain per play	3.59	3.82
Avg. Gain per game	174.6	190.7

PASSING OFFENSE		
Passes attempted	135	159
Passes completed	40	70
Had intercepted	10	11
Touchdown passes	7	9
Net passing gain	633	997
Avg. gain per comp	15.8	14.2
Avg. gain per game	70.4	110.7

TOTAL OFFENSE		
Number of plays	572	608
Yds. gained rushing	1571	1716
Yds. gained passing	633	997
Net yds. gained	2204	2713
Av. gain per play	3.9	4.5
Avg. gain per game	244.7	301.4

FIRST DOWNS		
By rushing	79	84
By passing	22	38
By penalty	14	10
Total	115	132

PUNTING		
Number of punts	54	43
Total yards	1795	1381
Av. per punt	33.2	32.1

FUMBLES		
Total	16	23
Lost	9	9

PENALTIES		
Number of penalties	45	63
Yds. penalized	380	595

INTERCEPTIONS		
Number of int.	11	10
Yds. returned	111	227

1968 RESULTS: 2-7

- W 33-21 NW Okla. State (H)
- L 10-29 Kearney State (A)
- L 7-14 Colo. State College (H)
- W 14-3 NW Missouri State (H)
- L 6-9 Washburn University (H)
- L 21-41 Emporia State (A)
- L 14-20 So. Colo. State (A)
- L 13-19 Pittsburg State (H)
- L 14-32 U. Neb. at Omaha (A)

1968 Individual Statistics

RUSHING	TC	YDS.	YL	LG	NET	AVG.
Rich Dreiling, FB	191	818	41	41	777	4.1
Jerry Harrison, HB	120	482	19	30	463	3.9
Kurt Siemers, QB	66	269	50	43	219	3.3
Jack Georgeson, QB	27	118	31	15	87	3.2
Ken Caywood, SB	8	30	1	15	29	3.6
Steve Billinger, QB	2	19	0	15	19	9.5
James Jones, FB	4	16	0	8	16	4.0
Carl Helm, HB	1	1	0	1	1	1.0
John Covington, QB	18	33	74	9	-41	-2.3

PASSING	PA	PC	PI	YG	LG	TD	PCT.
John Covington, QB	61	21	2	345	38	4	.344
Kurt Siemers, QB	23	6	3	61	28	0	.261
Jack Georgeson, QB	50	12	5	201	41	2	.240
Steve Billinger, QB	1	1	0	26	26	1	1.000
PASS RECEIVING		PC		YG	LG	TD	
Dennis Spratt, E		25		396	41	5	
Ken Caywood, SB		9		156	29	1	
Jack Georgeson, QB		1		28	28	0	
Rich Dreiling, FB		2		19	11	1	
Larry McCants, E		1		23	23	0	
Terry Enright, E		1		12	12	0	
Jerry Harrison, HB		1		-1	-1	0	

PUNTING	TP	YDS	AVG.
John Covington, QB	29	1024	35.3
Jack Georgeson, QB	20	588	29.9
Darrel Maley, QB	3	122	40.7
Ralph Arias, K	1	40	40.0
Terry Enright, E	1	21	21.0

PUNT-KICKOFF RET.	PR	YDS	AVG	KOR	YDS	AVG
Rich Dreiling, FB	2	12	6.0	14	274	19.6
Jerry Harrison, HB	3	13	4.3	4	124	31.0
Jack Georgeson, QB	4	32	8.0	3	61	20.3
Ken Caywood, SB	4	29	7.2	2	39	19.5
Dennis Spratt, E	2	13	6.5	2	31	15.5
Steve Seirer, HB	—	—	—	2	23	11.5
James Jones, FB	—	—	—	2	15	7.5

SCORING	TD	EPA-EPM	FG	S	PTS
Rich Dreiling, FB	6	0-0	0-0	0	36
Dennis Spratt, E	5	0-0	0-0	0	30
Ralph Arias, K	0	15-17	3-8	0	24
Jerry Harrison, HB	2	0-0	0-0	0	12
Kurt Siemers, QB	2	0-0	0-0	0	12
Ken Caywood, SB	1	0-0	0-0	0	6
Paul Simmons, LB	1	0-0	0-0	0	6

TEAM SCORING	TD	EPA-EPM	FG	S	PTS.
FORT HAYS STATE	18	15-17	3-8	0	132
Opponents	27	18-27	2-8	1	188
RETURN YARDAGE	PR	KO	PASS	TEAM	TOTAL
FORT HAYS STATE	99	567	111	0	777
Opponents	376	629	227	19	1232

Pronunciation Guide

BATTAGLIA—Ba TAG lee uh	KULBISKI—Ku BIS ski
BOUTON—BOW ton	MERRIWETHER Merri Weather
DEMAREE—DEM air e	SEIRER—SEER
DOLEZAL—DOE lee zul	TALIAFERRO—Tal if fur
GEORGESON—JOR ge son	ZIERLEIN—Zer line

Meet the 1969 Varsity



Bouton



Juneau



Johnston



Keating



Gresnick



Levitt



Murray



Perkins



Seirer



Stramel



Wilson



Young

The Tiger Roster

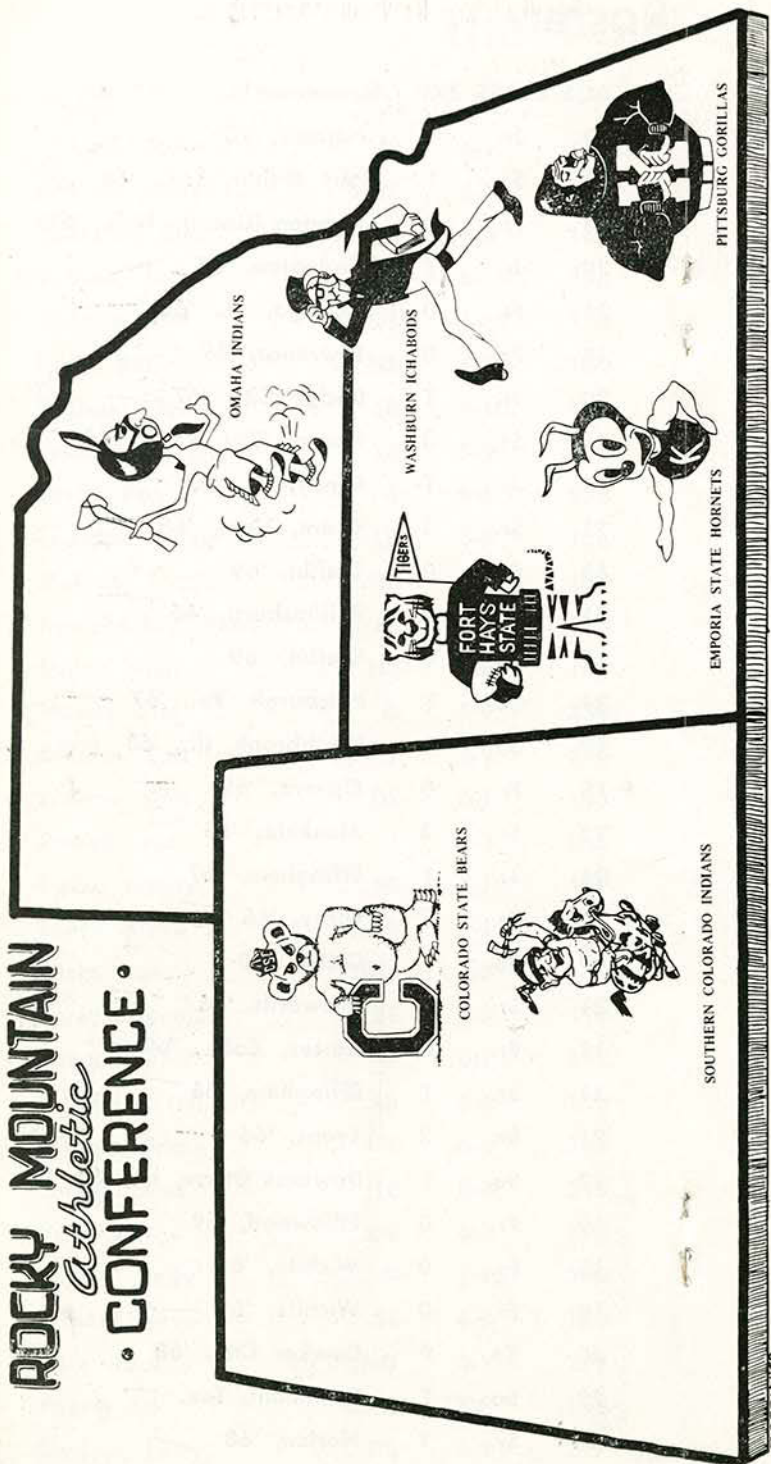
NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	CLASS	EXP.	Hometown
Armstrong, Bruce - RC	G	5-11	213	20	Jr.	T	Wichita, '67
Battaglia, Austin	LB	5-11	193	19	So.	T	Chicago, '68
Beckman, Charlie	DHB	6-3	180	20	Jr.	T	Smith Center, '66
Berthelson, John	LB	5-9	176	21	Fr.	0	Hays, '66
Bicknell, Jim	C	6-0	240	12	Fr.	0	Marysville, '69
Bouton, Clark	QB	6-0	186	18	Fr.	0	Colorado Springs, '69
Bowen, Stan	FB	5-7	181	19	So.	T	Satanta, '68
Brady, Joe	DE	5-10	161	18	Fr.	0	Dodge City, '69
✓ Butler, Mike	LB	5-9	191	19	So.	1	Marysville, '68
✓ Caywood, Kenny ✓	SB	5-10	185	22	Sr.	3	St. Francis
✓ Covington, John	QB	6-1	195	24	Sr.	2	Fulton, Ky., '63
Curtis, Jerry	DE	6-1	200	20	Fr.	0	Longford, '68
Demaree, Bruce	G	5-11	213	20	Jr.	T	Goodland, '67
Dolezal, Alan	T	6-2	240	18	Fr.	0	Russell, '69
Doran, Jr., Rick	DE	6-0	226	18	Fr.	0	Harlan, Iowa, '69
Durler, Stan	T	6-3	213	18	Fr.	0	Great Bend, '69
Elder, Grady ✓	C	5-10	216	20	Jr.	0	Salina, '67
Evans, Tommy	HB	5-8	180	22	Jr.	T	Plattsburg, Mo., '66
✓ 9 Georgeson, Jack	DHB	6-2	178	21	Sr.	1	Lenora, '66
Green, Harold	T	6-2	220	19	Fr.	0	Colby, '69
Gresnick, Joe	T	6-2	227	21	Jr.	T	St. Louis, Mo., '66
Guffey, Rich	LB	5-11	160	18	Fr.	0	Hays, '69
✓ Gwinner, Craig	DE	6-0	204	21	Sr.	1	Ellsworth, '66
— Hahn, Rick	SB	6-0	164	18	Fr.	0	Dodge City, '69
Haverfield, Mel	HB	5-10	190	19	So.	T	Marquette, '68
LT Healy, Frank	T-NG	5-11	195	19	Fr.	T	Chicago, Ill., '68
Heiman, Roger	T	5-9	209	18	Fr.	0	Barnard, '69
Heldenbrand, Ed	G	5-11	202	18	Fr.	0	Wichita, '69
✓ Helm, Carl	S	5-9	160	21	Sr.	1	Great Bend, '66

In experience column, number indicates football letters earned at FHS; T indicates transfers.

The Tiger Roster

NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	CLASS	EXP.	Hometown
Ireland, John	HB	6-1	185	20	Jr.	T	Natoma, '67
Jenkins, Lionell —	SE	6-1	180	19	So.	T	Port Arthur, Tex., '68
Johnston, Stan	HB	6-0	180	18	Fr.	0	Newton (Lincoln, Neb., '69)
HB Juneau, Ted	HB	6-1	190	20	Jr.	T	Herington, '67
Keating, Jim —	HB-QB	5-10	170	21	Fr.	0	Chicago, Ill., '66
Kelly, Bill	HB	5-10	160	18	Fr.	0	Lawrence, '69
HB LB Kulbiski, Joe	LB	5-10	162	20	Jr.	T	Dodge City, '67
HB Lashbrook, Lynn	LB	5-9	157	21	Sr.	3	Kansas City, Kans., '66
RT Levitt, Bob	T	6-3	226	21	Jr.	T	Olney, Ill., '67
LB Logsdon, Lloyd	LB	5-8	186	21	Sr.	1	Grant, Neb., '66
McAtee, Farrell	DHB	6-0	165	18	Fr.	0	Claflin, '69
Merriwether, Morse	FB	6-0	190	21	Jr.	T	Phillipsburg, '66
Miller, Alan	HB	5-6	142	19	Fr.	0	Claflin, '69
Murray, Jim LB	G	5-9	230	21	So.	T	Pittsburgh, Pa., '67
O'Brien, Bob - RT	T	5-9	245	19	So.	T	Northbrook, Ill., '68
E Perkins, Dan	DE	6-1	193	18	Fr.	0	Ottawa, '69
✓ Powell, Jim T	T	6-3	245	22	Sr.	3	Mankato, '65
Ryser, Jimmy	FB	5-7	187	24	Jr.	T	Effingham, '67
S Seirer, Steve	DHB	5-10	157	22	Sr.	T	Luray, '66
Shalz, Ron	DHB	6-0	180	19	So.	T	Colby, '68
✓ Spratt, Dennis —	SE	6-3	192	21	Sr.	2	Ellsworth, '66
LB Stramel, Phil	G	6-1	192	18	Fr.	0	Cortez, Colo., '69
Taliaferro, Hal	LB	5-6	150	21	Jr.	T	Effingham, '66
✓ Tappan, Frank	T	6-4	245	21	Sr.	3	Lyons, '66
Turner, Scott - E	TE	6-3	210	22	So.	T	Downers Grove, Ill., '66
Voth, Jan	DE	6-1	198	19	Fr.	0	Ellinwood, '69
Walton, Kelly	G	5-10	200	18	Fr.	0	Wichita, '69
Wilson, Steve	SE	6-4	180	18	Fr.	0	Wichita, '69
Wise, Dick	DNG	5-11	231	20	So.	P	Cawker City, '68
NG Young, Ed	DNG	5-8	185	20	So.	T	Beaumont, Tex.
LE Zierlein, Larry	DE	6-2	217	24	Sr.	T	Norton, '63

ROCKY MOUNTAIN *Athletic* **CONFERENCE**



RMAC Information

Emporia State . . . located in Emporia, Kans., population 20,000 . . . officially Kansas State Teachers College . . . enrollment is 7,000 . . . Welch Stadium seats 6,800 for football . . . Emporia Civic Auditorium holds 2,600, theater-type seating.

Fort Hays State . . . located in Hays, Kans., population 13,750 . . . officially Fort Hays Kansas State College . . . enrollment is 5,500 . . . Lewis Field Stadium holds 7,000 for football . . . Sheridan Coliseum seats 1,800 for basketball; theater-type seating.

Omaha University . . . located in Omaha, Neb., population over 375,000 . . . officially University of Nebraska at Omaha . . . enrollment is 10,500 . . . University Stadium seats 5,000 for football . . . University Fieldhouse holds 4,000; bleachers.

Pittsburg State . . . located in Pittsburg, Kans., population 21,000 . . . officially Kansas State College of Pittsburg . . . enrollment is 6,000 . . . Brandenburg Stadium holds 11,000 for football . . . College Gymnasium seats 2,500 for basketball; bleachers.

Washburn University . . . located in Topeka, Kans., population over 130,000 . . . officially Washburn University of Topeka . . . enrollment is 4,000 . . . Moore Bowl seats 8,000 for football . . . Whiting Fieldhouse holds 3,000 for basketball; bleachers.

Colorado State College . . . located in Greeley, Colorado, population 35,000 . . . officially Colorado State College . . . enrollment 9,200 . . . Stadium, Jackson Field, seats 7,500 . . . Gunter Hall, seats 2,000 for basketball.

Southern Colorado State College . . . located in Pueblo, Colorado . . . population 129,000 . . . officially Southern Colorado State College . . . enrollment 6,700 . . . Public School Stadium, seats 13,000 . . . College Gymnasium, seats 3,400 for basketball.

RMAC History

The reorganized Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference will begin league competition in all sports for the first time in 1969. Football and cross-country were excluded from RMAC championship play until this season due to previous commitments in the old CIC.

Fifteen colleges and universities compose the new loop and cover five states. The conference is divided into two divisions — Mountain and Plains Divisions. On June 19, 1967, Harry B. (Doc) Kinseley, former information bureau director of the Western Athletic Conference, was named the league's first commissioner. RMAC headquarters are located at 1423 South Garfield, Denver, Colorado 80210. (Phone: 303-756-6311).

Members of the new conference include four members from the old Rocky Mountain Faculty Athletic Conference, four schools that competed in the now disbanded Central Intercollegiate Conference and seven independent institutions.

The league will be governed by the commissioner who works jointly with the school's presidents. A grant-in-aid system has been set up to insure equal competition in all sports.

The RMFAC, upon which the new league was formed, is one of the nation's oldest athletic conferences, dating back to 1899 when the Colorado Football Association was formed.

Former members include: Utah, BYU, DU, Utah State, Idaho State, Wyoming, CSU and CU.

PLAINS DIVISION

Colorado State College, Greeley
Kansas State College, Emporia
Kansas State College, Pittsburg
Fort Hays Kansas State College, Hays
Southern Colorado State, Pueblo
University of Nebraska at Omaha

MOUNTAIN DIVISION

Adams State College, Alamosa
College of Southern Utah, Cedar City
Colorado School of Mines, Golden
Fort Lewis College, Durango
New Mexico Highlands, Las Vegas
Regis College, Denver
Western New Mexico, Silver City
Western State College, Gunnison
Westminister, Salt Lake City

1968 CIC CHAMPIONS

Football	Omaha University
Cross Country	FORT HAYS STATE

1969 RMAC CHAMPIONS

Basketball	Southern Colorado State
Wrestling	Colorado State College
Gymnastics	No Meet in RMAC
Track	FORT HAYS STATE
Golf	Fort Lewis College
Tennis	Colorado State College
Baseball	Emporia State

Series Records

PITTSBURG STATE

		(FHS	score first)		
1925	0-6	1939	7-7	1956	6-27
1926	0-7	1940	6-0	1957	0-54
1927	7-13	1941	0-26	1958	16-7
1928	6-0	1942	7-13	1959	12-14
1929	0-13	1946	0-0	1960	7-41
1930	0-14	1947	0-0	1961	7-41
1931	6-13	1948	27-7	1962	25-20
1932	0-13	1949	7-26	1963	12-42
1933	0-0	1950	0-6	1964	40-7
1934	0-19	1951	0-3	1965	21-7
1935	0-21	1952	7-7	1966	12-21
1936	23-0	1953	12-12	1967	7-13
1937	13-6	1954	22-7	1968	13-19
1938	19-6	1955	7-13		

Total games: 41

FHS won 11; Pitt won 24; 6 ties.

WASHBURN UNIVERSITY

		(FHS	score first)		
1919	6-7	1947	14-27	1965	25-0
1928	6-2	1948	6-6	1966	7-0
1929	0-26	1949	13-34	1967	35-0
1930	7-33	1950	0-7	1959	12-19
1931	6-27	1951	6-34	1960	7-33
1932	0-13	1952	14-20	1961	14-7*
1933	0-0	1953	7-6	1962	33-14
1934	23-12	1954	26-6	1963	0-46
1935	12-6	1955	7-27	1964	7-14
1941	0-21	1956	19-32	* FHS forfeited	
1942	13-20	1957	19-16	1968	6-9
1946	20-20	1958	6-19		

Total games: 34

FHS won 10; WU won 21; 3 ties.

OMAHA UNIVERSITY

		(FHS score first)			
1953	12-20	1961	0-26	1965	21-26
1954	19-27	1962	20-20	1966	19-0
1959	18-6	1963	6-39	1967	28-41
1960	19-18	1964	15-33	1968	14-32

Total games: 12

FHS won 3; OU won 8; 1 tie.

EMPORIA STATE

		(FHS score first)	
1923	3-26	1937	6-14
1924	2-19	1938	14-0
1925	3-13	1939	0-27
1926	0-14	1940	0-6
1927	0-26	1941	19-22
1928	0-34	1942	0-40
1929	0-6	1946	25-6
1930	0-0	1947	7-39
1931	0-26	1948	0-25
1932	13-0	1949	9-0
1933	15-6	1950	0-27
1934	15-0	1951	7-14
1935	1-0*	1952	6-28
1936	15-7	1953	7-20
		1954	20-6
		1955	32-20
		1956	13-14
		1958	7-7
		1959	0-26
		1960	14-27
		1961	12-7**
		1962	13-14
		1963	28-13
		1964	20-19
		1965	42-7
		1966	27-13
		1967	26-7
		1968	21-41

*E-State forfeited

**FHS forfeited

Total games: 42; FHS won 15; E-State 25; 2 ties.

KEARNEY STATE

		(FHS score first)	
1926	52-0	1955	20-12
1927	25-6	1956	6-18
1931	0-2	1957	0-27
1932	18-0	1958	7-35
1933	41-0	1959	19-14
1938	38-6	1960	20-12
1954	41-14	1961	24-0*
		1962	13-27
		1963	14-26
		1964	35-14
		1965	21-13
		1966	20-0
		1967	7-27
		1968	10-29

Total games: 21

FHS won 12; Kearney State won 9; no ties

NW MISSOURI

		(FHS score first)	
1950	21-14	1955	27-13
1951	20-7	1956	19-13
1952	6-7	1957	40-27
1953	7-21	1958	13-0
1954	20-7	1959	8-13
		1960	9-14
		1961	16-17
		1962	21-0
		1963	7-7
		1966	29-7
		1968	14-3

Total games: 16

FHS won 10; NWM won 5; one tie.

NW OKLAHOMA

		(FHS score first)	
1937	21-6	1948	20-0
1947	20-6	1957	21-14
		1958	14-34
		1968	33-21

Total games: 6

FHS won 5, NWO won 1.

SOUTHERN COLORADO

		(FHS score first)	
1963	18-14	1965	14-24
1964	19-34	1966	38-21
		1967	14-0
		1968	14-20

Total games: 6

FHS won 3; SCS 3; no ties.

COLORADO STATE

		(FHS score first)	
1932	0-7	1965	7-21
1940	0-0	1966	34-0
		1967	7-10
		1968	7-14

Total games: 6

CSC won 4; FHS won 2, no ties

NW Oklahoma

At Alva, Saturday, Sept. 13, 8:00 p.m.



FHS		NWO
33	Score	21
12	1st Downs	16
54-262	Rush Yds	44-106
3-11	Passing	13-35
51	Pass Yds	220
0	Intercepted	2
3-2	Fumbles	3-1
5-36.0	Punts	3-21.3
4-20	Penalties	3-23
NWO	0 7 0	14-21
FHS	14 6 7	6-33

SCHOOL: Oklahoma state-supported teacher education, liberal arts

LOCATION: Alva, Oklahoma

HEAD COACH: J. W. Cole (University of Oklahoma, 1951) 2nd year

CAREER RECORD: 1-7-2 (NW Oklahoma) 26-42-2

ASSISTANTS: Cecil Perkins (SW Oklahoma, 1960) 2nd year
Charles Hepler, 1st year

Jerry Clark, (Eastern New Mexico) 2nd year

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Bill Schnebel (Midland, 1949) 5th year

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Wayne Lane (University of Oklahoma, 1950) 10th year

NICKNAME: Rangers

COLORS: Red and Black

ENROLLMENT: 3,000

OFFENSIVE SYSTEM: T-formation

MEMBER OF: Oklahoma Collegiate Conference

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 27. LETTERMEN LOST: 6

1968 Results

Fort Hays State	21-33	Central State	0-31
Hiram Scott	14-33	East Central State	7-28
Northeastern State	20-16	Langston	14-19
Southwestern State	0-31	Eastern New Mexico	7-7
Panhandle State	13-13		

1969 Schedule

Sept. 13 Fort Hays State	Oct. 18 Panhandle State
Sept. 20 at St. Mary of Plains	Oct. 25 at Central State
Sept. 27 at Northeastern St.	Nov. 1 East Central State
Oct. 4 at SW State	Nov. 8 Langston U.
Oct. 11 Southeastern State	Nov. 15 at East. N. Mexico

Ranger Outlook: Improved

After a 1-7-2 season, the only way is up and for the Rangers up is centered around the fact they will be a lot stronger than last season. In 1968, they were young but with 27 lettermen back and a lot of maturity, it could be different. A year of recruitment and lettermen at every position except tight end make prospects bright for second year coach J. W. Cole.

Last year the Rangers were handicapped by injuries, mostly on offense, with quarterback Larry Stephens knocked out of action in the third game of the year. Two ties and two games lost by only a touchdown indicate the potential that could have been a 5-5 season in 1968 and may well burst loose in 1969 for a good year. Fort Hays downed the Rangers in the opener last year 33-21 and leads the series 5-1. This year could be one of the best games between the two clubs in the series.

Kearney State

At Hays, Saturday, Sept. 20, 7:30 p.m.



FHS		KS
10	Score	29
9	1st Downs	16
40-60	Rush-yds	54-219
9-22	Passing	9-18
118	Pass Yds	156
0	Intercepted	4
1-1	Fumbles	3-1
9-43.5	Punts	6-46.0
4-37	Penalties	7-55
KS	7 2 7	13-29
FHS	3 0 7	0-10

SCHOOL: Kearney State College, state-supported teacher education, liberal arts

LOCATION: Kearney, Nebraska

HEAD COACH: Allen H. Zikmund (Nebraska, 1943, 1955) 15th year

CAREER RECORD: 103-24-1

ASSISTANTS: Les Livingston (Nebraska, 1946, 1956) 13th year

Barry Allen (Northern Illinois, 1967) 3rd year

Claire Boroff (Kearney State, 1959, 1963) 1st year

Jack Ramsey (Kearney State, 1968) 1st year

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Charlie H. Foster (Grand Island Baptist, 1924) 25th year

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Don Briggs (Kearney, 1951) 12th year

NICKNAME: Antelopes

COLORS: Blue and Gold

ENROLLMENT: 5,750

OFFENSIVE SYSTEM: T-formation

MEMBER OF: NAIA

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 35

1968 Results

(KSC score first)

Washburn U.	20-26	Wayne State	23-15
Fort Hays State	29-10	Chadron State	52-20
Eastern Montana	14-41	Morningside Col.	14-47
Hastings	34-20	Northern S.D.	24-25
Peru State	56-21		

1969 Schedule

Sept. 13 at East. Montana	Oct. 18 at Wayne State
Sept. 20 at Fort Hays State	Nov. 1 Chadron State
Sept. 27 NW Missouri	Nov. 8 Morningside Col.
Oct. 4 Washburn U.	Nov. 15 at Northern S.D. St.
Oct. 11 at Peru State	

Antelopes Outlook: 35 Lettermen Back . . .

A lot of questions must be answered about Kearney State this fall but not the question about lettermen—35 return to the fold. Four-year quarterback Rich Osentowski is gone but experience returns at all positions with some promising newcomers helping the outlook.

After last year's 5-4 mark (second poorest in Zikmund's 13 years), the team members vowed a return to the NAIA top rated teams. With the exception of Ozzie, the backfield returns and most of the offensive line is back. Experience gained on the freshman squad should vault several sophomores into starting spots.

Colorado State

At Greeley, Saturday, Sept. 27, 7:30 p.m.



FHS		CSC
7	Score	14
12	1st Downs	18
40-121	Rush Yds	60-255
6-21	Passing	7-8
124	Pass Yds	54
1	Intercepted	0
1-0	Fumbles	2-1
6-38.2	Punts	3-25.3
4-20	Penalties	7-85
CSC	7 0 7	0-14
FHS	0 7 0	0-7

SCHOOL: Colorado State College, state-supported teacher education and liberal arts

LOCATION: Greeley, Colorado

HEAD COACH: Bob Blasi (Colo. State U., 1953) 4th year, 12 as assistant

CAREER RECORD: 14-12-1

ASSISTANTS: Jerry McMillen (Colo. State U., 1955) 3rd year

Buck Rollins (Colo. State U., 1954) 3rd year

Vince Zimmer (University of Wyoming, 1964) 1st year

Tom Bernich (Denver University, 1950) 6th year

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Joe Lindahl (Wayne State, 1941) 4th year, 16th on staff

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Gary Morgan (New Mexico Highlands U., 1966) 2nd year

NICKNAME: Bears

COLORS: Purple and Gold

ENROLLMENT: 9,200

OFFENSIVE SYSTEM: Multiple-I

MEMBER OF: Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference, NCAA

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 17

1968 Results

(CSC score first)

Fort Lewis	34-7	Adams State College	19-27
Fort Hays State	14-7	Southern Colo. State	52-8
Western State Col.	14-10	East. Montana Col.	35-20
Eastern New Mexico	7-21	U. of South Dakota	14-35

1969 Schedule

Sept. 20 at Emporia State	Oct. 25 Ft. Lewis
Sept. 27 Fort Hays State	Nov. 1 at So. Colorado
Oct. 4 at Colorado Mines	Nov. 8 at East. Montana
Oct. 18 Eastern New Mexico	Nov. 15 Washburn U.
Oct. 11 at Boise State	

Bear Outlook: Young, Lack of Experience

Graduation cut deeply into the Bears' starting units and the 1969 edition of the team will show the scars. The ball club will be a young one and will lack experience. Depth will be adequate, but the bench will be peopled by youngsters. Size, speed and agility should be about average.

STRONG POINTS: The returning lettermen (17) should provide a nucleus of talent around which the coaches can build and the addition of five transfers will help the club. The Bears' passing attack should be improved and the defense stronger. Balance will again be a key feature.

NW Missouri

At Maryville, Saturday, Oct. 4, 7:30 p.m.



FHS		NWMS
14	Score	3
11	1st Downs	7
61-241	Rush-Yds	38-60
0-4	Passing	1-12
0	Pass Yds	42
1	Intercepted	2
2-0	Fumbles	5-2
6-32.3	Punts	6-44.3
7-52	Penalties	6-40
NWMS	0 0 3	0-3
FHS	7 0 0	7-14

SCHOOL: Northwest Missouri State, state-supported teacher education and liberal arts

LOCATION: Maryville, Missouri

HEAD COACH: Ivan Schottel (NW Missouri, 1948) 7th year

CAREER RECORD: 75-66-4

ASSISTANTS:

Jim Redd (NW Missouri, 1966) 2nd year

George Worley Colorado State C., 1964) 1st year

Dr. Earl Baker (Missouri Valley, 1950) 9th year

Lewis Dyche (College of Emporia, 1956) 6th year

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Ryland Milner (NW Missouri, 1933) 33rd year

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Bob Henry (Wichita State U., 1968) 1st year

NICKNAME: Bearcats

COLORS: Green and White

ENROLLMENT: 5,200

OFFENSIVE SYSTEM: Pro and I-formations

MEMBER OF: MIAA, NCAA

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 28. LETTERMEN LOST: 15

1968 Results

(NWMSC score first)

Arkansas A&M	13-38	C. Missouri	7-28
Wm. Jewell	0-19	Rolla	6-7
Fort Hays State	3-14	NE Missouri	7-9
Lincoln University	9-26	SW Missouri	21-30
SE Missouri	3-38		

1969 Schedule

Sept. 20 at Wm. Jewell	Oct. 25 Springfield
Sept. 27 at Kearney State	Nov. 1 at Warrensburg
Oct. 4 Fort Hays State	Nov. 8 Rolla
Oct. 11 Lincoln University	Nov. 15 at NE Missouri
Oct. 18 at Cape Girardeau	

Bearcat Potential: Improved but Young

Defense was the forte' of the Bearcats last season and for 1969 Coach Ivan Schottel will have three linebackers, one cornerman and one safety to replace from the 1968 gridiron wars. At the present time, four juniors and a sophomore will fill the gap as the group that saw considerable action last year. The front four remains intact and will be led by second team all-conference selection Ken Timke.

In 1968, a young NWMSC sophomore club found it very difficult to get one the scoreboard and wound up losing all 9 games. The offensive machine managed 9 touchdowns and a trio of field goals as the offense couldn't punch across that tally. This year the Bearcats will do battle with a predominately junior ball club, one that lost only three regulars. Tight end Leon Muff, guard Tony Novak and all-conference selection Lewis Biley won't be around for the 1969 opener. Joe Calia and Steve Schottel will once again split the quarterbacking duties. Outlook: Improved but mighty young.

Washburn University

At Topeka, Saturday, Oct. 11, 7:30 p.m.



6	Score	9
17	1st Downs	12
24-252	Rush-Yds	53-210
6-16	Passing	4-12
86	Pass Yds	37
2	Intercepted	0
0-0	Fumbles	0-0
3-24.3	Punts	7-33.1
4-40	Penalties	5-42
WU	3 6 0	0-9
FHS	0 0 0	6-6

SCHOOL: Washburn University of Topeka, Municipal University

LOCATION: Topeka, Kansas

HEAD COACH: Harold "Bud" Elliott (Baker, 1953; Wichita State, 1962) 1st year

CAREER RECORD: 37-7-3

ASS.STANTS: Larry Elliott (Washburn U., 1959) 4th year
Bob Noblitt, 1st year

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Mike Sarkesian, Rhole Island College, 1957) 4th year

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Rick Torrence (Washburn U. student) 1st year

NICKNAME: Ichabods

COLORS: Blue and White

ENROLLMENT: 4,800

OFFENSIVE SYSTEM: Pro-set

MEMBER OF: RMAC, NAIA

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 28. LETTERMEN LOST: 7

1968 Results

(WU score first)

Kearney State	26-20	Omaha University	0-47
Central Mo. State	0-34	William Jewell	6-40
Southern Colorado	7-10	Emporia State	19-47
St. Marys of Plains	13-22	Fort Hays State	9-6
Pittsburg State	0-14		

1969 Schedule

Sept. 13 Friends University	Oct. 18 at Pittsburg State
Sept. 20 Central Mo. State	Oct. 25 Omaha University
Sept. 27 at So. Colorado	Nov. 1 William Jewell
Oct. 4 at Kearney State	Nov. 8 at Emporia State
Oct. 11 Fort Hays State	Nov. 15 at Colorado State

Ichabod Potential: 28 Lettermen and a Line

Harold "Bud" Elliott takes over the head coaching reigns at Washburn University and is faced with regrouping 28 lettermen into improving 1968's 2-7 record. A lack of depth at quarterback and in the defensive secondary greets Elliott who built three Kansas Conference champions in five seasons before coming to Washburn. Last year's backup signal caller Dale Bennett is the only experienced hand in camp at quarterback and All-CIC cornerback Reggie Carr is all that's left from 1968's defensive backfield.

A bright spot is the fine stable of ends headed by Jeff Hill who snared 34 in 1967. Hill also carried a 38.4 punting average. Greg Stice, a starter last year, and Jim Clamon give depth at end. Back to bolster the defensive line is Don Prince, 240 pound All-CIC defensive tackle selection. Three other "front five" starters in 1968—end Bernie Bianchino, middle guard Gar McCormick and 245-pound tackle Don Dunn—give the defensive line an experienced look. Last season's top two rushers, halfbacks Charlie King and Steve Alston, could provide punch to the ground attack with guard Rich Fry, center Darwin Hales and tackle Dick Wall back to open the holes.

TIGERS

Emporia State

At Hays, Saturday, Oct. 18, 2:00 p.m.



FHS		ES
21	Score	41
17	1st Downs	19
58-219	Rush-Yds	36-227
4-6	Passing	14-26
61	Pass Yds	206
0	Intercepted	0
3-1	Fumbles	2-1
5-32.5	Punts	2-32.5
4-45	Penalties	10-92
ES	13 0 21	7-41
FHS	7 0 7	7-21

SCHOOL: Kansas State Teachers College, state-supported teacher education

LOCATION: Emporia, Kansas

HEAD COACH: Jim Lance (Murray State) 1st year

CAREER RECORD: 1st year

ASSISTANTS: Hank Hettwer, Vic Castillo, John East

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Keith Caywood (Emporia State, 1942) 18th year

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Bob Ecklund, 1st year

NICKNAME: Hornets

COLORS: Gold and Black

ENROLLMENT: 7,500

OFFENSIVE SYSTEM: Pro-type

MEMBER OF: RMAC, NAIA, NCAA

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 24. LETTERMEN LOST: 6

1968 Results

(E-State score first)

St. Mary of Plains	37-20	Ft. Hays State	41-21
E. Central Okla.	27-40	Pittsburg State	27-27
Central Missouri	41-41	Omaha University	26-27
Peru State	41-0	Washburn U.	47-19
So. Colorado	20-17		

1969 Schedule

Sept. 13 Wayne State	Oct. 18 at Fort Hays State
Sept. 20 Colo. State Col.	Oct. 25 Pittsburg State
Sept. 27 at Central Mo.	Nov. 1 at Omaha U.
Oct. 4 Peru State College	Nov. 8 Washburn U.
Oct. 11 at S. Colorado State	

Hornets' Sting: Bruce Cerone

In 1968, the Hornets scored a record 307 points and the bulk of that offensive team returns this season. No one graduates from the defensive unit and the main pre-season concern is whether the depth along with the defensive secondary will be adequate to withstand a league that is getting stronger. Bruce Cerone, 5-11 split end who was first team NAIA and NCAA small college All-American, makes the offense look deadly as the Hornet's top weapon. He caught 91 passes for 1,407 yards and 15 touchdowns. Bob Leahy (QB) is returning with a 117-205 passing attack that netted him 1,698 yards and 17 TD passes. Charley Divitto, Ted Woods bring 6.1 and 4 yards per carry averages to the year and Fred McClain is ALLICIC on defense. Question: with that much power, can anyone stop the Hornets?

Southern Colorado

At Hays, Saturday, Oct. 25, 7:30 p.m.



FHS		SCS
14	Score	20
15	1st Downs	17
54-205	Rush-Yds	49-298
2-9	Passing	7-15
20	Pass Yds	37
1	Intercepted	1
3-2	Fumbles	3-2
5-39.2	Punts	2-39.0
7-59	Penalties	7-65
SCS	14 0 0	6-20
FHS	7 7 0	0-14

SCHOOL: Southern Colorado State, state-supported liberal arts

LOCATION: Pueblo, Colorado

HEAD COACH: Joe C. Prater (Arkansas U., 1947) 7th year

CAREER RECORD: 61-59-4

ASSISTANTS:

Ernie Smith (Colo. State College, 1948) 3rd year

Ross Rosenthal (Ill. State U., 1955) 3rd year

Dr. Donald Stutters (SW Oklahoma, 1954) 6th year

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Harry H. Simmons (Colorado U, 1937) 7th year, 22nd on staff

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Kirk B. Herrick (Nevada U., 1939) 7th year

NICKNAME: Indians

COLORS: Red and Blue

ENROLLMENT: 7,200

OFFENSIVE SYSTEM: Multiple-T

MEMBER OF: RMAC, NCAA College Division, NAIA

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 21. LETTERMEN LOST 9

1968 Results

Pittsburg State	10-7	Fort Hays State	20-14
Washburn U.	10-7	Colorado State	8-52
Western New Mexico	21-7	N. Mexico Highlands	10-48
Emporia State	17-20	Adams State College	0-31
Nevada Southern	21-25	Colo. School of Mines	21-45

1969 Schedule

Sept. 21 at Pittsburg State	Nov. 1 Colo. State Col.
Sept. 27 Washburn U.	Nov. 8 at Ft. Lewis Col.
Oct. 4 at W. New Mexico	Nov. 15 Adams State College
Oct. 11 Emporia State	Nov. 22 Colo. School Mines
Oct. 25 at Fort Hays State	

Indian Prospects: Smoke and Fire

Defense on the line and offense coming out of the backfield will have the mobility and size to be considered complete and make the 1969 Indians a bet to be a contender in the RMAC. Last year's defensive ends return while two veterans and a transfer will operate from tackle. Linebacking is better and the defense will have more depth than last year. Pass defense, last year's bugaboo, could be a bright spot with three returning and several transfers make the deep pass defense stable.

Although most problems seem to center around the offense, two fine running backs return with Al Brooks at fullback and Matt Young at left half. Young may be in the lime-light for national honors in 1969. Quarterback is still a question with depth in the backfield a problem. The offensive line is tough and the coaching staff is predicting a solid defense which will get the ball back more often. From end to end, the Indians should be improved and could change last year's 4-6 record to a more favorable mark.

Pittsburg State

At Pittsburg, Saturday, Nov. 1, 2:00 p.m.



FHS		PS
13	Score	19
11	1st Downs	12
39-132	Rush-Yds	59-196
4-16	Passing	4-10
75	Pass Yds	59
3	Intercepted	0
1-1	Fumbles	1-1
5-37.6	Punts	6-25.8
6-57	Penalties	9-95
PS	6 6 0	7-19
FHS	6 7 0	0-13

SCHOOL: SCHOOL: Kansas State College, state-supported liberal and applied arts

LOCATION: Pittsburg, Kansas

HEAD COACH: Tom Lester (Pittsburg State, 1951) 3rd year, 8th at Pittsburg State

CAREER RECORD: 10-7-2 at KSC, 50-21-3 high school

ASSISTANTS: Joe Murphy (Pittsburg State, 1933) 21st year
Bill Samuels (Pittsburg State) 3rd year

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Carnie Smith (University of Kansas, 1933) 21st year

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Brian Smith (KSC) 1st yr.

NICKNAME: Gorillas

COLORS: Crimson and Gold

ENROLLMENT: 6,000

OFFENSIVE SYSTEM: Wing-T and I

MEMBER OF: RMAC, NAIA

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 22

1968 Results

(KSC scores first)

Central Oklahoma	3-29	Washburn U.	14-0
So. Colorado State	7-10	Emporia State	27-27
NE Missouri State	15-18	Fort Hays State	19-13
SW Missouri State	27-20	Missouri Southern	14-3
Omaha University	7-14	Northeastern Okla.	7-14

1969 Schedule

Sept. 13 Morningside Col.	Oct. 18 Washburn U.
Sept. 20 So. Colorado State	Oct. 25 at Emporia State
Sept. 27 NE Missouri State	Nov. 1 Fort Hays State
Oct. 4 at SW Missouri St.	Nov. 8 at Missouri So.
Oct. 11 at Omaha U.	Nov. 15 at NE Oklahoma St.

Gorilla Power: 22 Lettermen and Depth

The outlook for the season will be one of optimism after an enthusiastic spring practice. An improved passing attack with Rich Clark and Roger Smith may develop and may complement the running attack that led the CIC last season. The return of Randy Whipple who had 25 pass completions in 1967 as well as experienced receivers Curtis Squire, Mike Chapman, Al Schmade and Ted Allmon give the Gorillas a "new look" in 1969. Balanced backfield, experience, and a few breaks could spell the difference for KSC who finished 4-5-1 last year.

Omaha University

At Hays, Saturday, Nov. 8, 2:00 p.m.



FHS		OU
14	Score	32
11	1st Downs	15
37-80	Rush Yds	46-145
6-30	Passing	11-23
98	Pass Yds	186
2	Intercepted	2
2-0	Fumbles	4-0
10-23.6	Punts	8-22.7
6-50	Penalties	9-98
OU	6 19 0	7-32
FHS	7 0 0	7-14

SCHOOL: University of Nebraska at Omaha, state-supported liberal arts

LOCATION: Omaha, Nebraska

HEAD COACH: Al Caniglia, Omaha, 1951) 10th year

CAREER RECORD: 47-36-2

ASS STANTS:

Don Watchorn (Midland, 1946) 9th year

Don Benning (Omaha, 1958) 7th year

Carl Meyers, (Omaha, 1964) 3rd year

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Virgil Yelkin (Nebraska, 1936) 23 years

SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR: Fred Gerardi (Western State College, 1966) 2nd year

NICKNAME: Indians

COLORS: Red and Black

ENROLLMENT: 12,000

OFFENSIVE SYSTEM: Pro-set

MEMBER OF: RMAC, NAIA

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 29. **LETTERMEN LOST:** 11

1968 Results

(Omaha score first)

N. Dakota State	7-49	Washburn University	47-0
Morningside	13-18	Emporia State	27-26
N. Arizona	6-7	Fort Hays State	32-14
Pittsburg State	14-7	Idaho State	13-16
Drake	14-32		

1969 Schedule

Sept. 20 at Morningside	Oct. 25 at Washburn U.
Sept. 27 N. Dakota State	Nov. 1 Emporia State
Oct. 4 at Idaho State	Nov. 8 at Fort Hays State
Oct. 11 Pittsburg State	Nov. 15 So. Dakota U.
Oct. 18 Drake	

Indian Prospects: Defense—the Strongpoint

Despite the loss of All-American guard Dan Klepper and back Ron Sayers, the Indian attack should be better than average on offense. The receiving corps and backfield look tough with Rocco Gonnella (QB) at the reins with McKernan, Standifer, and soph split-end Dan Crnkovich.

Defense is the strong pre-season choice for quality. Veteran front wall and vet secondary make Indians tough against pass and run. Line depth could be an offensive problem with little experience behind starters in the interior. Overall defense looks above average with linebacking corps holding the key. Size and speed is good but starters must stay healthy.

Recent Tiger Leaders

TOTAL OFFENSE		Plays	Rushing	Passing	Gain	
1962	Dave Parker, QB	216	709	567	1276	
1963	Bob Johnson, QB	147	292	325	617	
1964	Bob Johnson, QB	187	528	315	843	
1965	Bob Johnson, QB	280	810	568	1378	
1966	Bob Johnson, QB	266	822	506	1328	
1967	Leo Hayden, QB	218	200	978	1178	
1968	Rich Dreiling, FB	191	777		777	
RUSHING		TC	Net Gain		Avg.	
1962	Dave Parker, QB	149	709		4.8	
1963	Steve Worley, FB	111	442		4.0	
1964	Steve Worley, FB	144	660		4.6	
1965	Bob Johnson, QB	188	810		4.3	
1966	Rich Dreiling, FB	191	898		4.7	
1967	Rich Dreiling, FB	148	624		4.2	
1968	Rich Dreiling, FB	191	777		4.1	
PASSING		PA	PC	Pct.	Yards	TDs
1962	Dave Parker, QB	67	30	44.8	567	4
1963	Bob Johnson, QB	57	18	31.6	325	4
1964	Bob Johnson, QB	56	21	37.5	315	6
1965	Bob Johnson, QB	92	34	36.9	568	8
1966	Bob Johnson, QB	94	40	42.6	506	8
1967	Leo Hayden, QB	152	70	46.5	978	11
1968	John Covington, QB	61	21	34.4	345	4
PASS RECEIVING		Catches		Yards		TDs
1962	Cliff Leiker, E	18		381		3
1963	Cliff Leiker, E	8		164		2
1964	Jack Johnson, HB	10		173		1
1965	Ron Morel, E	10		264		6
1966	Ken Caywood, HB	11		132		2
1967	Dennis Spratt, E	19		315		4
1968	Dennis Spratt, E	25		396		5
PUNTING		Punts		Yards		Avg.
1962	Larry Ollek, HB	25		874		35.0
1963	Ron Morel, HB	49		1793		36.6
1964	Ron Morel, E-HB	49		1737		35.4
1965	Ron Morel, E	40		1562		39.1
1966	Larry Ollek, QB	37		1264		34.1
1967	John Covington, QB	38		1311		34.5
1968	John Covington, QB	29		1024		35.3
SCORING		TD	EP	FG	Points	
1962	Dave Parker, QB	16	0	0	96	
1963	Max VanLaningham, QB	2	7	0	19	
1964	Bob Johnson, QB	10	0	0	60	
1965	Bob Johnson, QB	14	1	0	85	
1966	Bob Johnson, QB	10	2	0	63	
1967	Rich Dreiling, FB	6	0	0	36	
1968	Rich Dreiling, FB	6	0	0	36	
PUNT RETURNS		Returns	Yards		Avg.	
1962	Dave Parker, QB	15	184		12.3	
1963	Max VanLaningham, QB	6	132		22.0	
1964	Max VanLaningham, QB	12	92		7.7	
1965	Max VanLaningham, HB	25	190		7.6	
1966	Ken Caywood, HB	10	95		9.5	
1967	Ken Caywood, E	11	94		8.5	
1968	Jack Georgeson, QB	4	32		8.0	
KICKOFF RETURNS		Returns	Yards		Avg.	
1962	Dave Parker, QB	8	211		26.4	
1963	Jack Johnson, HB	6	170		28.3	
1964	Jack Johnson, HB	9	233		25.9	
1965	Max VanLaningham, HB	15	351		23.4	
1966	Bob Niles, E	5	135		27.0	
1967	Ron Goates, HB	9	196		21.8	
1968	Rich Dreiling, FB	14	274		19.6	

Recent All CIC Tigers

(NOTE: The following are based on official All-CIC selections.)

1968

First team: Offense, Rich Dreiling, FB. Defense: Paul Simmons, LB.

Second team: Offense, Dennis Spratt, E; Tom Foran, G. Defense, Jon Mastin, E; Jack Georgeson, S; Tom Foran, G.

1967

First team: Offense, Jim Powell, T; Rich Dreiling, FB. Defense: Jon Mastin, E; Terry Claycamp, LB.

Second team: Offense, Dennis Spratt and Ken Caywood, E; Ron Goates, HB. Defense: Frank Tappan, T; Roger Faulkender, HB.

1966

First team: ---Offense, Larry Noffsinger, G; Bob Johnson, B; Rich Dreiling, B. Defense, Bernie Blevins, T; Ron Tuley, B; Bob Niles, B.

Second team: ---Offense, Charley Myers, C. Defense, Bobby Gregg, E; Bud Estes, G.

1965

First Team: Offense, Ron Morel, E; Rich Dreiling, B. Defense, Bernie Blevins, T; Jon Mastin, E.

Second Team: Offense, Bob Johnson, B; Larry Noffsinger, G; Jim Erickson, T. Defense, Ron Morel, B; Max VanLaningham, B; Gordon Mauch, B; Bob Anthony, B; Dennis Bean, G.

1964

First Team: Offense, Dave Jones, G. Defense, Dave Jones, B; Ken Dreiling, T.

Second Team: Offense, Clark Engle, T; Steve Worley, B; Bob Johnson, B. Defense, Ron Morel, B; Roger Clark, E.

1963

First Team: Offense, Dave Jones, G; Larry Dreiling, G. Defense, none.

Second Team: Offense, Clark Engle, T; Ken Palmgren, C. Defense, Max VanLaningham, B. were selected.

1968 Tiger Squad Awards

Honorary Co-Captains: Rich Dreiling, Paul Simmons

Best Back: Rich Dreiling

Best Lineman: Paul Simmons

Most Inspirational Player: Ken Caywood

Rookie of the Year: Jack Georgeson

Past Season Records

(Note: A college history compiled by the late L.D. Wooster, president-emeritus of Fort Hays State College, indicates that football was played with several opponents prior to 1913, but that these games were primarily with high school and "town" teams. The first season on which the school has complete scores is 1913; the first completely intercollegiate schedule was played in 1915.)

Year	Coach	Record	Points
1913	Ira Van Cleave	4-1-0	289- 39
1914	Ira Van Cleave	5-2-0	180- 41
1915	W. G. Speer	4-3-0	74- 67
1916	W. G. Speer	5-1-0	95- 48
1917	W. G. Speer	7-0-0	140- 27
1918	W. G. Speer	2-1-0	49- 39
1919	A. J. Robertson	3-6-0	74- 62
1920	George Woodward	2-5-1	108-108
1921	George Woodward	6-1-0	99- 55
1922	George Woodward	2-4-1	38- 67
1923	Bill Weidlein	4-3-2	94- 78
1924	Bill Weidlein	4-4-0	71- 81
1925	Bill Weidlein	2-4-1	37- 42
1926	Bill Weidlein	3-5-0	79- 60
1927	Bill Weidlein	3-5-1	64-118
1928	Bill Weidlein	3-3-2	26- 90
1929	Andrew F. Schoepfel	2-5-0	38- 61
1930	Jack Riley	2-5-2	34- 95
1931	Jack Riley	3-5-1	27-131
1932	Jack Riley	4-5-0	57- 58
1933	Jack Riley	6-2-2	145- 61
1934	Jack Riley	6-2-1	132- 64
1935	Jim Yeager	8-2-0	172- 57
1936	Paul Waldorf	6-3-0	140- 64
1937	Paul Waldorf	6-2-1	101- 56
1938	Paul Waldorf	7-2-0	181- 65
1939	Paul Waldorf	2-5-2	94-146
1940	Paul Waldorf	3-3-3	64- 45
1941	Paul Waldorf	1-6-2	89-123
1942	Bill Bearley	1-8-0	39-167
1943-44-45	No teams; World War II		
1946	Ralph Huffman	2-4-2	80-102
1947	Ralph Huffman	5-3-1	151-144
1948	Ralph Huffman	5-3-1	155- 92
1949	Ralph Huffman	5-4-0	143-161
1950	Ralph Huffman	3-4-2	80-131
1951	Ralph Huffman	5-4-0	135-119
1952	Ralph Huffman	1-6-2	75-178
1953	Ralph Huffman	3-4-1	125-105
1954	Ralph Huffman	7-2-0	180- 87
1955	Ralph Huffman	5-3-1	158-125
1956	Wayne J. McConnell	1-8-0	75-214
1957	Wayne J. McConnell	4-4-0	164-198
1958	Wayne J. McConnell	4-4-1	97-150
1959	Wayne J. McConnell	3-6-0	116-190
1960	Wayne J. McConnell	2-7-0	116-227
1961	Wayne J. McConnell	4-4-1*	119-145
1962	Wayne J. McConnell	6-2-1	193-101
1963	Wayne J. McConnell	2-6-1	99-248
1964	Wayne J. McConnell	5-4-0	210-169
1965	Wayne J. McConnell	6-3-0	198-118
1966	Wayne J. McConnell	7-2-0	193-75
1968	Wayne J. McConnell	2-7-0	129-188
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*Victories and tie officially forfeited for using ineligible player.

Former Conference Champs

KANSAS CONFERENCE

1913 College of Emporia	1923 Friends U.
1914 Washburn U.	Emporia State
1915 Emporia State	1924 Pittsburg State
1916 Baker U.	1925 College of Emporia
1917 Fort Hays State	Bethany College
1918 College of Emporia	1926 Emporia State
1919 College of Emporia	1927 Baker U.
1920 Friends U.	College of Emporia
1921 Fort Hays State	Emporia State
1922 Baker U.	Kansas Wesleyan

CENTRAL INTERCOLLEGIATE CONFERENCE

1928 College of Emporia	1950 Emporia State
1929 Emporia State	1951 Emporia State
1930 Washburn U.	Pittsburg State
1931 Washburn U.	1952 Emporia State
Wichita U.	1953 Washburn U.
1932 Wichita U.	St. Benedict's
1933 Wichita U.	1954 Fort Hays State
1934 Fort Hays State	Washburn U.
1935 Fort Hays State	1955 Pittsburg State
Pittsburg State	1956 St. Benedict's
Wichita U.	1957 Pittsburg State
1936 Fort Hays State	1958 St. Benedict's
1937 Wichita U.	1959 St. Benedict's
1938 Wichita U.	1960 St. Benedict's
1939 Wichita U.	1961 Pittsburg State
1940 St. Benedict's	1962 Omaha U.
1941 Pittsburg State	1963 Omaha U.
1942 Pittsburg State	1964 Washburn U.
1943-46 No CIC competition	1965 Omaha U.
1947 Emporia State	1966 Fort Hays State
1948 Emporia State	Pittsburg State
1949 Washburn U.	1967 Omaha University
Pittsburg State	1968 Omaha University

CIC family tree . . .

1928 CIC founded by Emporia State, Fort Hays State, Pittsburg State, Washburn, Southwestern College, Wichita University, College of Emporia.	
1933 Washburn withdrew	1948 Rockhurst admitted
1937 St. Benedict's admitted	1951 Rockhurst withdrew
1939 College of Emporia withdrew	1958 Southwestern withdrew
1940 Wichita withdrew	1959 Omaha admitted
1940 Washburn re-admitted	1963 St. Benedict's withdrew
	1968 CIC Disbanded

Number of CIC titles earned . . .

(Number of conference championships since 1928)

Team	Won	Tied	Last Title
Pittsburg State	5	4	1966
Wichita University	5	2	1939
Emporia State	5	1	1952
St. Benedict's	5	1	1960
Omaha University	5	0	1968
Fort Hays State	2	3	1966
Washburn University	2	4	1964
College of Emporia	1	0	1928

Records, All Opponents

Opponent	Last Game	Games	W	L	T
Arizona State (Flagstaff)	1938	1	1	0	0
Augustana (S. D.)	1935	1	1	0	0
Baker U.	1920	3	1	2	0
Bethany College	1933	18	10	6	2
Bethel College	1942	1	0	1	0
Central Oklahoma	1956	2	0	2	0
Central Missouri	1965	2	2	0	0
Chadron (Neb.)	1938	5	5	0	0
College of Emporia	1941	12	8	3	1
Colorado Mines	1947	2	1	1	0
Colorado College	1962	13	3	10	0
Colorado State College	1968	6	1	4	1
Colorado Western	1964	2	0	2	0
Denver U.	1921	1	0	1	0
Eastern New Mexico	1961	2	0	2*	0
Emporia State	1968	42	15*	25*	2
Friends U.	1920	1	0	1	0
Haskell Institute	1936	3	1	2	0
Haskell Reserves	1917	3	3	0	0
Hastings (Neb.)	1939	4	2	1	1
Kansas State	1949	10	1	8	1
Kansas Wesleyan	1953	25	17	6	2
Kearney (Neb.) State	1968	21	12	9*	0
McPherson	1940	6	3	3	0
New Mexico A & M	1948	2	0	2	0
Northwest Missouri	1968	16	10	5	1
Northwestern Oklahoma	1968	6	5	1	0
Oklahoma Baptist	1936	2	1	1	0
Oklahoma City U.	1940	2	0	0	2
Omaha University	1968	12	3	8	1
Ottawa U.	1922	2	2	0	0
Panhandle A & M	1956	2	1	1	0
Peru (Neb.)	1940	1	0	0	1
Pittsburg State	1968	41	11	24	6
Quincy (Ill.)	1951	2	1	1	0
Regis College	1942	1	1	0	0
Rockhurst	1949	2	1	1	0
Southern Colorado	1968	6	2	4	0
Southwestern College	1959	32	20	7	5
Southwest Missouri	1955	2	2	0	0
Southwestern Oklahoma	1967	8	4	4	0
St. Benedict's	1962	26	6	17*	3
St. Mary's College	1927	12	7	5	0
St. John's College	1925	3	3	0	0
Sterling College	1941	15	9	4	2
Washburn University	1968	34	10	21*	3
Wichita U.	1939	18	6	11	1

*Includes forfeit

1968 opponents in bold type

All-time coaching records . . .

Coach, Seasons	Years	W	L	T
Ira Van Cleave, 1913-14	2	9	3	0
W. G. Speer, 1915-18	4	18	5	0
A. J. Robertson, 1919	1	3	6	0
George Woodward, 1920-22	3	10	10	2
Bill Weialein, 1923-28	6	19	24	6
Andrew Schoepfel, 1929	1	2	5	0
Jack Riley, 1930-34	5	21	19	6
Jim Yeager, 1935	1	8	2	0
Paul Waldorf, 1936-41	6	25	21	3
Bill Bearley, 1942	1	1	8	0
Ralph Huffman, 1946-55	10	41	37	10
Wayne McConnell, 1956-1968	13	49	62	4

The Past Few Seasons

1968 (2-7-0)

FHS 33	Northwest Oklahoma State	21
FHS 10	Kearney State	29
FHS 7	Colorado State College	14
FHS 6	Washburn University	9
FHS 21	Emporia State	41
FHS 14	Southern Colorado State	20
FHS 13	Pittsburg State	19
FHS 14	Omaha University	32

1967 (3-5-0)

FHS 20	Southwestern Oklahoma	27
FHS 7	Kearney State	27
FHS 7	Colorado State	10
FHS 35	Washburn University	0
FHS 26	Emporia State	7
FHS 14	Southern Colorado	0
FHS 7	Pittsburg State	13
FHS 28	Omaha University	41

1966 (7-2-0)

FHS 7	Southwestern Oklahoma	13
FHS 20	Kearney (Neb.) State	0
FHS 34	Colorado State College	0
FHS 29	Northwest Missouri State	7
FHS 7	Washburn University	0
FHS 27	Emporia State	13
FHS 38	Southern Colorado State	21
FHS 12	Pittsburg State	21
FHS 19	Omaha University	0

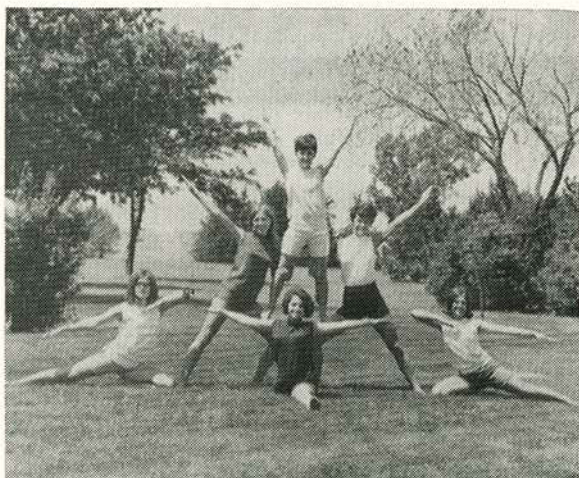
1965 (6-3-0)

FHS 7	Southwestern Oklahoma	6
FHS 21	Kearney (Neb.) State	13
FHS 7	Colorado State College	21
FHS 40	Central Missouri State	14
FHS 25	Washburn University	0
FHS 42	Emporia State	7
FHS 14	Southern Colorado State	24
FHS 21	Pittsburg State	7
FHS 21	Omaha University	26

1964 (5-4-0)

FHS 35	Kearney (Neb.) State	14
FHS 27	Southwestern Oklahoma	19
FHS 7	Colorado Western	23
FHS 40	Central Missouri State	6
FHS 7	Washburn University	14
FHS 20	Emporia State	19
FHS 19	Southern Colorado State	34
FHS 40	Pittsburg State	7
FHS 15	Omaha University	33

TIGERS	51
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TIGER CHEERLEADERS for the 1969-70 year are: front row, Cindi Hoffman, Sublette junior; Susan McClaren, Lewis junior; Kathy Berger, Bucklin sophomore. Standing, Jan Schneider, Ellsworth junior; Diane Bircher, Hutchinson junior and Diane Vann, Lakin sophomore.

FHS Grid Records

(NOTE: Football records at Fort Hays are incomplete except for game scores, until the late 1950's. The records listed on these pages represent the best marks found in a year-long search. They will be listed as school records until they are broken or a documented improvement is presented.)

WON-LOST RECORDS

Longest winning streak: 12 games, 1916-17
Longest losing streak: 12 games, 1941-42
Most victories, season: 8, 1935
Fewest victories, season: 1, 1941, 1942, 1952, 1956
Most ties, season: 3, 1940
Most consecutive ties: 2, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1952
Best season record (percentage): 1.000, 7-0-0, 1917
Worst season record (percentage): .111, 1-8-0, 1942, 1956

SCORING

Most points scored, game: 125, vs. Salina All-Stars, 1913 (town team); most points in intercollegiate game, 57 vs. College of Emporia, 1941.
Most points scored, season: 289, five games, 1913 (town teams and high schools); most points in intercollegiate season, 210, nine games, 1964.
Most points by opponents, game: 66, Cooper College, (now Sterling), 1919.
Most points by opponents, season: 248, nine games, 1963.
Fewest points scored, season: 26, eight games, 1928.
Fewest points by opponents, season: 27, seven games, 1917.
Most consecutive games without scoring: 4, 1941-42
Most consecutive games scoring: 36, 1963-1967
Most consecutive games unscored upon: 3, 1915, 1917, 1925-26, 1935
Most consecutive games scored upon: 28, 1954-57

FHS Grid Records

TEAM OFFENSIVE RECORDS

Total Offense

Game: 467, 1964

Season: 2,858, 1965

Rushing Yardage

Game: 414 vs. Pittsburg, 1964

Season: 2,320, 1966

Passing Yardage

Game: 214 vs. Omaha, 1954

Season: 1,099, 1967

Passes Attempted

Game: 30 vs. Omaha, 1968

Season: 172, 1967

Passes Completed

Game: 16 vs. NW Oklahoma, 1958

Season: 79, 1967

Fewest Passes Had Intercepted

Season: 5, 1962, 1966

First Downs

Game: 27 vs. Central Missouri, 1965

Season: 152, 1965

Scoring

Game: 57 vs. College of Emporia, 1941 (125 vs. Salina All-Stars, a town team, 1913)

Season: 210, 1964 (289 in five games against high schools and town teams, 1913)

Most Punts

Game: 11 vs. Colorado College, 1959

Season: 54, 1968

Best Punting Average

Season: 39.0, 1965

Fewest Fumbles

Season: 11, 1967

Fewest Fumbles Lost

Season: 7, 1966 and 1967

Lowest Penalty Yardage

Season: 314, 1958

TEAM DEFENSIVE RECORDS

Total Offense Allowed

Game: 86, NW Missouri, 1958

Season: 1,899, 1967

Rushing Yardage Allowed

Game: 31, Central Missouri, 1964

Season: 1,078, 1967

Passing Yardage Allowed

Game: 0, Southwestern, 1957; St. Benedict's, 1962; Washburn, 1965, Pittsburg State, 1966

Season: 503, 1965

Opponents Passes Intercepted

Game: 5, Kearney, 1965

Season: 17, 1966

Opponents Fumbles Recovered

Game: 6, St. Benedict's, 1955; Omaha, 1960

Season: 20, 1958

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Total Offense

Game: 329, Bob Johnson vs. Emporia, 1965

Season: 1,378, Bob Johnson, 1965

Career: 4,166, Bob Johnson, 1963-66

Total Plays

Game: 42, Bob Johnson vs. Central Missouri, 1965

Season: 280, Bob Johnson, 1965

Career: 893, Bob Johnson, 1963-66

FHS Grid Records

Rushing Yardage

Game: 264, Bob Johnson vs. Emporia, 1965

Season: 810, Bob Johnson, 1965

Career: 2,956, Rich Dreiling, 1965-68

Rushing Attempts

Game: 31, Bob Johnson vs. So. Colorado, 1963

Season: 191, Rich Dreiling, 1966

Career: 668, Rich Dreiling, 1965-68

Passing Yardage

Game: 169, Lynn Elliott vs. NW Oklahoma, 1958

Season: 978, Leo Hayden, 1967.

Career: 1,714, Bob Johnson, 1963-66

Passes Attempted

Game: 30, Jack Georgeson vs. Omaha, 1968

Season: 152, Leo Hayden, 1967.

Career: 299, Bob Johnson, 1963-66

Passes Completed

Game: 16, Lynn Elliott vs. NW Oklahoma, 1958

Season: 70, Leo Hayden, 1967

Career: 113, Bob Johnson, 1963-66

Scoring Passes Thrown

Game: 4, Bob Johnson vs. Emporia, 1966 and Leo Hayden vs. Washburn U., 1967

Season: 11, Leo Hayden, 1967

Career: 26, Bob Johnson, 1963-66

Pass Receiving Yardage

Game: 157, Cliff Leiker vs. Washburn, 1960

Season: 614, Cliff Leiker, 1960

Career: 1,415, Cliff Leiker, 1959-60, 1962-63

Passes Received

Game: 7, Cliff Leiker vs. Washburn, 1960

Season: 29, Cliff Leiker, 1960

Career: 66, Cliff Leiker, 1959-60, 1962-63

Scoring Passes Received

Game: 3, Ron Morel vs. Washburn, 1965 and Dennis Spratt vs. Washburn U., 1967

Season: 6, Ron Morel, 1965

Career: 12, Cliff Leiker, 1959-60, 1962-63

Scoring

Game: 30, Bob Johnson vs. Southern Colorado, 1966

Season: 96, Dave Parker, 1962

Career: 220, Bob Johnson, 1963-66

Punting Average

Season: 39.1, Ron Morel, 1965

Career: 38.0, Jack Richardson, 1960

Highest Pass Completion Percentage

Season: 47.9, Lynn Elliott, 1958

Longest Rushing Gain

84, Jack Hague vs. Southwestern, 1948

Longest Passing Gain

68, Harold Copper-Don King vs. Emporia, 1953

Longest Punt Return

83, Max VanLaningham vs. So. Colorado, 1963

Longest Kickoff Return

97, Dave Parker vs. Kearney, 1962

Longest Interception Return

70, Bob Sweazey vs. Kearney, 1954

Longest Punt

72, Ron Morel vs. Washburn, 1964

Longest Field Goal

41, Ralph Arias vs. NW Okla. State, 1968

Historical Highlights

FOOTBALL — 1902: First football game played Sept. 17 against Hays town team, score: 0-0 . . . 1917: Only undefeated team in FHS history (7-0-0) 1917, 1921: Kansas Conference championships . . . 1934, 1935, 1936, 1954, 1966: CIC championships. Ties in 1935, 1954 and 1966.

CROSS COUNTRY — 1956: Cross country added to sports program by Alex Francis 1963: NAIA national championship; first in any at Fort Hays State. NAIA National Championships in 1966 and 1968. Tigers second in NAIA in 1956, 1961, 1962, 1964. In 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, and 1968, the Tigers were CIC champions.

BASKETBALL — CIC championships in 1937, 1940, 1950, 1959, 1962, 1963 NAIA District 10 championships in 1959, 1962, 1963 Competed in NAIA national tourney in 1959, 1962, 1963; fourth place in 1959, 1963.

WRESTLING — Introduced 1927-29; resumed in 1956 Best season ever in 1964-65, 14-3 record. NAIA national champion, Leland Tresner, 152-pound class, 1968.

GYMNASTICS — Introduced in 1956 FHS host to the NAIA national meet in 1964, 1965, 1967 Best season ever in 1962-63, 6-2 record, and 1968-1969, 7-4 mark.

SWIMMING — CIC championship in 1957 Sport discontinued in 1959, inadequate facilities.

TRACK AND FIELD — CIC championships in 1947, 1948, 1952, 1957, 1965, 1966 CIC indoor title in 1959 Second in first annual NAIA Indoor Champions, 1966. Best NAIA finish in 1968, first place. Finished third in 1965 and 1966 outdoor. Bob Schmidt and Rod Williams, best high jump in Kansas history, 1966, 6-10 $\frac{3}{4}$. Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference champions 1968, first RMAC meet.

TENNIS — Best CIC finish in 1965 and 1966, second place Best season, 1965, 10-3 record.

BASEBALL — Discontinued in 1924; resumed in 1966. Best record, 15-12, 1968.

CONFERENCE — Member of Kansas Conference, 1914-1928 Charter member of Central Intercollegiate Conference 1928-1968. CIC disbanded. Fort Hays State is now a member of the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference.

67th Year for Fort Hays

Fort Hays Kansas State College, founded in 1902, marked its 67th birthday in June. The institution is a tax-supported liberal and applied arts college, established and maintained by the state to serve the people of Kansas, and particularly the youth of Central and Western Kansas.

Fort Hays Military Reservation, established in 1867 shortly after the Civil War, was abandoned by the United States government in 1889. For the next 11 years, a proposal for wise use of the land was repeatedly presented to Congress by far-seeing residents of the area. In 1900 the government enacted legislation granting the land to the State of Kansas for three designated purposes: as a state college, as an agricultural experiment station and as a state park. All are now in existence on the land.

The college opened June 23, 1902, with 34 students, two faculty members and 19 courses. For two years the college held its sessions in two old Fort Hays buildings on the fort grounds.

The institution has grown steadily to its present enrollment of an estimated 5,448 students, with more than 800 courses and about 250 faculty members. This growth is further reflected in a steady building program that includes such recent construction as the new library, Malloy Hall, the new speech and music center; completion of a six-story women's residence that houses some 600 coeds; an addition to Albertson Hall, the science building; new maintenance buildings; a new men's dormitory; and new married student housing; and complete remodeling of parts of several campus structures has taken place, and a new power plant is in operation.

The campus is located immediately to the southwest of the city limits of Hays, on Big Creek, which wanders through the campus. The campus proper consists of about 80 acres, while all of the college land totals 4,160 acres.

Fort Hays State reflects the community and the area in blending new and old, tradition and progress, while serving as the educational and cultural center of Western Kansas.

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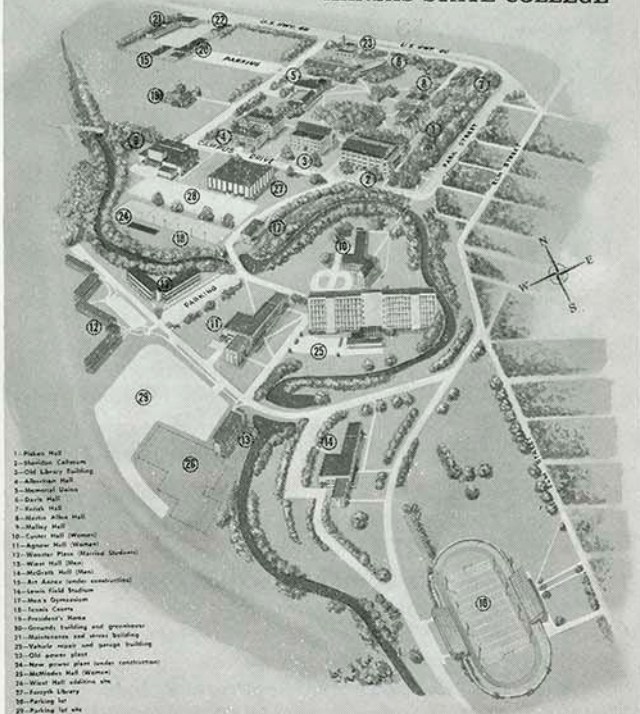
1902-13, Western Branch of the State Normal School

1913-1923, Fort Hays Kansas Normal School

1923-1931, Kansas State Teachers College of Hays

1931-present, Fort Hays Kansas State College

FORT HAYS KANSAS STATE COLLEGE



Historic Hays, Kansas is the county seat of Ellis County. Named after Civil War General Alexander Hays, the 100-year-old city is steeped in the history of the late 1800's and is the site of historic old Fort Hays. Served by the Union Pacific Railroad, Frontier Airlines, Greyhound and Continental bus lines, the city is at the junction of U.S. highways 40 and 183. The new Interstate system runs just north of Hays.

Fort Hays Kansas State College was the Western Branch of State Normal school in 1902-13. From 1913 to 1923, Fort Hays was named the Fort Hays Kansas Normal School. In 1923 it became Kansas State Teachers College of Hays and in 1931 was given its current name, Fort Hays Kansas State College.

1969 Composite Schedule

Saturday, Sept. 13

FORT HAYS STATE at NW Oklahoma, 8:00
Kearney State at Eastern Montana, 1:30
Friends University at **Washburn U.**, 7:30
Wayne State at **Emporia State**, 7:30
Morningside College at **Pittsburg State**, 8:00

Saturday, Sept. 20

NW Oklahoma at St. Mary's of Plains, 8:00
Kearney State at **FORT HAYS STATE**, 7:30
Colorado State College at **Emporia State**, 7:30
William Jewell at NW Missouri, 8:00
Central Missouri at **Washburn University**, 7:30
Southern Colorado at **Pittsburg State**, 8:00
Omaha University at Morningside College,
8:00

Saturday, Sept. 27

NW Oklahoma at NE Oklahoma, 8:00
NW Missouri at Kearney State, 1:30
FORT HAYS STATE at **Colorado State College**,
7:30
Washburn University at **Southern Colorado**,
2:00
Emporia State at Central Missouri, 7:30
NE Missouri at **Pittsburg State**, 8:00
North Dakota State at **Omaha University**, 7:30

Saturday, Oct. 4

NW Oklahoma at SW Oklahoma, 8:00
Washburn University at Kearney State, 7:30
Colorado State College at Colorado Mines,
8:00
Peru State at **Emporia State**, 2:00
Southern Colorado at West New Mexico, 7:30
Pittsburg State at SW Missouri, 8:00
Omaha University at Idaho State

Saturday, Oct. 11

SE Oklahoma at NW Oklahoma, 8:00
Kearney State at Peru State, 2:00
Colorado State College at Boise State, 1:30
Lincoln University at NW Missouri, 7:30
FORT HAYS STATE at **Washburn University**,
7:30
Emporia State at **Southern Colorado**, 2:00
Pittsburg State at **Omaha University**, 1:30

1969 Composite Schedule

Saturday, Oct. 18

Panhandle State at NW Oklahoma, 2:00
Kearney State at Wayne State, 7:30
Eastern New Mexico at **Colorado State**, 7:30
NW Missouri at Cape Girardeau, 7:30
Washburn University at **Pittsburg State**, 2:00
Emporia State at **FORT HAYS STATE**, 2:00
Drake at **Omaha University**, 1:30

Saturday, Oct. 25

NW Oklahoma at Central State, 2:00
Ft. Lewis at **Colorado State College**, 2:00
Springfield at NW Missouri, 8:00
Omaha University at **Washburn University**
2:00
Pittsburg State at **Emporia State**, 2:00
Southern Colorado at **FORT HAYS STATE**, 7:30

Saturday, Nov. 1

East Central State at NW Oklahoma, 8:00
Chadron State at Kearney State, 7:30
Colorado State College at **Southern Colorado**,
1:30
NW Missouri at Warrensburg, 8:00
William Jewell at **Washburn University**, 7:30
Omaha University at **Emporia State**, 2:00
FORT HAYS STATE at **Pittsburg State**, 2:00

Saturday, Nov. 8

Langston U. at NW Oklahoma, 8:00
Morningside at Kearney State, 7:30
Colorado State College at **Eastern Montana**,
1:30
Rolla at NW Missouri, 8:00
Washburn University at **Emporia State**, 2:00
Southern Colorado at Ft. Lewis, 1:30
Pittsburg State at Missouri Southern, 8:00
Omaha University at **FORT HAYS STATE**, 2:00

Saturday, Nov. 15

NW Oklahoma at Eastern New Mexico, 1:30
Kearney State at Northern State, 7:30
Washburn University at **Colorado State College**, 1:30
NW Missouri at NE Missouri, 8:00
Adams State at **Southern Colorado**, 1:30
Pittsburg State at NE Oklahoma, 8:00
South Dakota University at **Omaha University**,
1:30

Saturday, Nov. 22

Colorado School of Mines at **Southern Colorado**, 7:30

RMAC teams in bold face

Bob Davis — the Voice of The Tigers on KAYS Radio

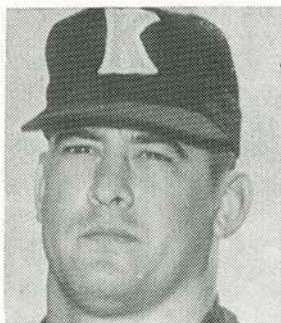


Bob Davis will again be the "Voice of the Tigers" on KAYS Radio, 1400 kilocycles, in Hays as all Fort Hays State football games will be carried live at home and on the road. Sports Director Davis is in his second year with the Tiger broadcasts and provides television as well as radio coverage for the Bengals. A graduate of Washburn University, Davis is one of the top young sportscasters in Kansas and brings an accurate, colorful analysis of each Saturday's action to Tiger fans.

Fort Hays State football broadcasts are sponsored by the KAYS Sports Booster Club. Each game broadcast is preceded by a 10-minute warm-up show featuring highlights of Tiger action and guests who provide insight to the day's game.

Air time for broadcasts is 7:55 for 8:00 games; 7:25 for 7:30 contests and 1:55 for three afternoon tilts. Any radio station desiring a feed or a special game broadcast should contact Sports Director Bob Davis at KAYS, Hays.

GRADUATE ASSISTANT JESSE KENNIS



Jesse Kennis will return as a graduate assistant this year. A two-year letterman, Kennis was a tough linebacker and will work with the defense. A Phillipsburg graduate, Jesse and his wife Sandra have two children, Lori, 7, and Jesse, 1.

Press Facilities

PRESSBOX: The main pressbox includes adequate facilities for press and radio. It is located atop the east stadium. Included are two enclosed radio booths; one is used by KAYS for each home game. The main press room is used by the working press, publicity personnel of the competing schools, statisticians and the public address and scoreboard personnel. Another large enclosed box is commonly called the "President's Box" and is used by college officials; it is not available for press or scout use.

SCOUTS AND CAMERAMEN: A new box was constructed in 1962 atop the west stadium. It is divided, half for movie cameramen and half for visiting scouts. The new box is white; the main pressbox is native stone.

PRESSBOX PASSES: These are required for everyone seeking admission to either box—press, radio, cameramen, scouts, publicity personnel, etc. Write the sports information director, preferably at least a week in advance to allow time for mailing. Late requests will be filled when possible; passes in those cases will be left at the ticket window. **NOTE:** The scout for the next Tiger opponent will be given preference; others will be seated if room is available.

RADIO: Radio stations wishing to broadcast a Tiger game must make their own arrangements with Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in Hays. Also contact the sports information director at FHS to determine available facilities and to assure receiving press services.

FILING: A telephone is available in the main pressbox; another is located elsewhere in the stadium. Phones at Martin Allen Hall on the campus may be used after the game. Any newspaper desiring Western Union service must make its own arrangements by contacting the Hays Western Union office, 116 W. 11th.

SERVICES: Although the sports information service at FHS does not control all phases of the pressbox operation, we will do our best to serve you in any way. Before game: Programs, line-ups, number changes, flip cards, cumulative statistics for season, etc. During game: Detailed play-by-play sheets as each page is completed, team statistics and individual leaders at halftime. After game (as soon as possible): Final statistics and scoring summary.

FHS News Outlets

LOCAL NEWS OUTLETS

Mike Billniger
Editor
Ellis County Star
Hays, Kansas
913 625-7358
Offset weekly, Thursday

Jay Schlyer
Sports Editor
Hays Daily News
Hays, Kansas
913 625-3421
P.m. except Saturday;
Sunday a.m.

Bob Davis
Sports Director
KAYS Radio and TV
Hays, Kansas
913 625-2578

Sports Editor
State College Leader
Fort Hays State College
Hays, Kansas
913 625-5611, Ext. 301
Letterpress weekly,
Thursday

Sports Director
KFHS Radio
Fort Hays State College
Hays, Kansas
Campus radio station

AREA NEWS OUTLETS

Sports Director
KVGB Radio
Great Bend, Kansas

Sports Director
KLOE Radio
Goodland, Kansas

Sports Director
KCKT-TV
Great Bend, Kansas

Sports Director
KSAL Radio
Salina, Kansas

Sports Editor
Western Kansas Press
Great Bend, Kansas
A.M. except Sunday,
Monday

Bill Burke
Sports Editor
Salina Journal
Salina, Kansas
Daily p.m.

Sports Director
KSLN-TV
Salina, Kansas

STATE NEWS OUTLETS

Sports Desk
United Press International
Kansas City, Missouri
GRand 1-2070

Bill Sharp
Sports Department
Kansas City Star
Kansas City, Missouri

Fred Mendell
Sports Editor
Hutchinson News
Hutchinson, Kansas

Sports Desk
Associated Press
Kansas City, Missouri
HArrison 1-4846

Dick Fensler
Sports Department
Topeka Daily Capital
Topeka, Kansas

Bill Hodge
Sports Department
Wichita Eagle
Wichita, Kansas

Facilities in Hays

HOTELS

Brunswick Hotel, 701 Main

MOTELS

Cactus Motel, East Highway 40
El Charro Motel, East Highway 40
Fort Hays Motel, 527 East Eighth
Holiday Inn, North Highway 183
Prairie Motel, West Highway 40
Rainbow Motel, East Eighth
Ramada Inn, North Highway 183
Riley Motel, 609 East Eighth
Shamrock Motel, East Highway 40 Bypass
Sunset Motel, 500 East Eighth
Thomas Motel, Fifth and Main
Vagabond Motel, North Vine
Villa Motel, East Eighth
Vine Park Motel, 1308 Vine
Weigel Motel, East Eighth

EATING FACILITIES

A & W Root Beer Drive-In, East 8th
Al's Chickenette, U. S. 183 just south of 8th St.
Bike's Burger Bar, 17th and Vine
Brunswick Hotel Cafe, 701 Main
Burger Shack, 11th and Elm
Centennial Restaurant, 2400 Vine
Dan's Drive-In Cafe, U.S. 40 Bypass
Deutsche Haus Inn, U.S. 40 West
Garden Grill, 706 Main
Golden Ox, U.S. 183 North
Holiday Inn. U.S. 183 North
Kent Cafe, East Eighth
Linmar's Steak House, 15th and Vine
Malt Village, U.S. 183 North
Mecca Hamburger House, North Vine
Nick's Cafe, West 11th, just off Main
Pizza Hut, East Eighth
Ramada Inn, U.S. 183 North
Robinson's Transport Inn, U.S. 40 East
Shelly's Trail Grill, 610 East Eighth
Tastee Freez Store, 2412 Vine
Ted's Steak House, 2505 Vine
Tico Taco, North Vine
Tiger Grill, 704 Park
Vagabond Restaurant, North Vine
Varsity Bowl Drive-In, Fourth and Main
Woolworth's, 10th and Main
The Fort Hays State Memorial Union includes a snack bar and a cafeteria.
Dag's, 8th & Vine

TIGERS



Brehm Starts Fifth Campaign On Courts

Starting his fifth year at Fort Hays State, Chuck Brehm is looking to the future with optimism even though he lost two of his finest players and returns only a handful of let-termen. Brehm's team posted a 9-13 mark in the first year of the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference and finished in a tie for fourth with Pittsburg State.

A veteran of top-flight basketball action, Brehm came to Fort Hays State in 1965 from Dodge City Junior College where he was named the National Junior College Coach of the Year in 1964. At Dodge, his team won the national juco basketball championship in 1964. His lifetime mark at Dodge City was 113-29.

The picture for the Tigers in 1969-70 is colored with optimism as are the chances for the Bengals to do better in the conference race. Last year Southern Colorado topped the league (7-3, 14-10) while Colorado State College was second (6-4, 11-13) with Emporia State (6-4, 10-14). Fort Hays (4-6, 9-13) tied for fourth with Pittsburg State (4-6, 13-12) while Omaha finished last (3-7, 7-16).



Bob Lowen Leaves SID Ranks In 1969

Bob Lowen, veteran SID at Fort Hays State, made 1968-1969 his final sports year as he moved to director of the college news service. Lowen, one of the nation's top small college information directors, was second on the NAIA All-American football brochure list and has won repeated honors in his tenure at Fort Hays.

Football Brochure Awards

- First place, 1962, National Assn. of Intercollegiate Athletics
- Third place, 1963, (NAIA)
- Third place, 1964 (NAIA)
- Outstanding football brochure, Dist. 5, Small College Division, Football Writers Assn. of America, 1962, 63, 65
- Second place, 1965, (NAIA)
- Fourth place, 1966, (NAIA)
- Outstanding football brochure, Small College Division, Football Writers Assn. of America, 1966
- Second place, 1968, (NAIA)

1969-70 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Chuck Brehm, Coach

Dec. 1	Kearney (Neb.) State	Kearney	✓
Dec. 2	Northwestern Oklahoma	Hays	
Dec. 6	St. Benedict's College	Hays	
*Dec. 8	Washburn University	Topeka	✓
*Dec. 13	Kansas State College	Pittsburg	
*Dec. 16	Washburn University	Hays	
Dec. 20	St. Benedict's College	Atchison	
Dec. 29-30	Holiday Tournament, College of So. Utah, Cedar City		
*Jan. 5	Kansas State Teachers	Emporia	✓
*Jan. 10	Southern Colorado State	Hays	
Jan. 17	Hastings College	Hays	
*Jan. 24	Kansas State College	Hays	
*Jan. 31	U. Nebraska of Omaha	Hays	
Feb. 2	Kearney (Neb.) State	Hays	
*Feb. 6	Colorado State College	Greeley	
*Feb. 7	Southern Colorado State	Pueblo	
Feb. 10	Hastings College	Hastings	
*Feb. 14	Colorado State College	Hays	
Feb. 17	Northwestern Oklahoma	Alva	
*Feb. 21	Kansas State Teachers	Hays	
*Feb. 23	U. Nebraska of Omaha	Omaha	
Feb. 26-28	RMAC Playoffs		

*Rocky Mountain Conference Games

Home Games—Sheridan Coliseum

LOOKING AHEAD TO BASKETBALL

A complete overhaul will be in store for the 1969-1970 basketball season as only four returning lettermen, one a starter, bolster Coach Chuck Brehm's fifth-year opener. Martyn Howgill, 6-8 pivot, returns to guide a 9-13 team that finished fourth last year in the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference. Brehm, however, is confident about the upcoming season. "We have a great bunch of kids coming back and I think we'll have a good season because of their fine attitude."

Gone from the 1968 crew is NAIA All-American Bill Greving (16.9 average) and high scoring Gene Rider (16.1). Howgill represents the only starter back but Leneal Locke played a lot as did Darryl Apel who came on strong the second half of the season. "There won't be a lot of speed back but the whole squad will give enough effort to compensate for that lack," said Brehm.

Mel Kitts (6-6 forward), Mike Gaskell (6-7) and Bob Bartkoski (6-5 pivot) provide additional height for the Tigers and if they continue to improve as they did over the past year, the Bengals could hold their own on the backboards with the best in the conference.

Newcomers also add some lustre to the season's prospects as Daryl Stockstill of Hutchinson Junior College will be trying for a position. The 6-4 Stockstill along with three other Juco transfers could provide additional punch to the offense. Gary Vejvado, a 6'0" guard out of St. Louis, is expected to be in the middle of a battle for a starting slot. Jim Keller, 6'3" freshman from Pueblo, Colorado, is another bright prospect for the cagers.

Lettermen returning for the campaign include Darryl Apel, Bob Bartkoski, Martyn Howgill, and Leneal Locke. This will be the second season in the new Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference. Southern Colorado State was the winner with a 7-3 mark in 1968.

